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LABOR CONGRESS OPPOSES COMPULSION

BIG ITALIAN LINER CARRIES TWO GUNS

RESIGNATION OF LEADER IS THREATENED

London, Jan. 6.—The labor congress today went on record against the bill introduced in the house of commons yesterday for compulsory military service, recommending that the members of the labor congress in parliament oppose the bill at all stages.

By a vote of 1,998,000 against 783,000, the labor congress decided to support a demand for the withdrawal of the compulsory service bill from parliament.

London, Jan. 6.—The temper of the labor congress amendment to the official resolution to the effect that the congress should support a measure of compulsion by forcing the single men to attest. The amendment was defeated on a card vote by the overwhelming majority of 2,121,000 against 541,000.

A meeting of the labor party of parliament to be held immediately has been summoned. It is expected that Arthur Henderson, president of the board of education, and leader of the party; William Bruce, parliamentary secretary for home affairs; and George H. Roberts, lord commissioner of the treasury and labor whip in the house of commons, will resign their government positions.

London, Jan. 6.—Arthur Henderson, president of the board of education and leader of the labor party in the house of commons, served notice on the labor congress

VIENNA IS ASKED BY U. S. FOR DETAILS OF SINKING OF THE BRITISH LINER PERSIA

WILL HEAR ARGUMENTS ON APPLICANTS

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—President Wilson told callers today that before appointing a successor to the late Supreme Court Justice Lamar he would thoroughly canvass the situation and hear arguments of the candidates with candidates to present. He said he wanted to get the best man in the country for the place. Telegrams and letters endorsing various candidates were received today at the White House in large numbers and Senators Simmons and Overman, of North Carolina, called to tell the president of the qualifications of Justice W. R. Allen, of the North Carolina supreme court. Senator Newlands, of Nevada, who also saw the president, said he thought if the president desired to appoint a Democrat, Secretary Lane should be appointed and that otherwise former President Taft should be named. Mr. Taft has been inducted in many messages received at the White House.

AUSTRIANS DENY THE EVACUATION OF TOWN

Berlin, Jan. 6 (by wireless to Sayville).—A denial of news agency dispatches from Petrograd reporting that the Austro-Hungarians had evacuated Czernowitz and of the Russian official claim to advances near that city is made by the official press bureau in Vienna, the Overseas News Agency announced today. The statement further says: "Vienna further states that the Russians have not advanced beyond the positions which they have occupied for months on the frontier east of Czernowitz, so that the Russian headquarters report January 3, which tells of continuous Russian advance is untrue."

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—Ambassador Penfield cabled today he had presented informally to the Vienna foreign office the American government's request for any information on the destruction of the British liner Persia, at the time of filing his dispatch, and received no reply.

Ambassador Penfield was instructed to ask the Austria government informally for any information it might have on the Persia which would develop the facts in the case and help the American government decide the liner was destroyed.

Consul Garrels was instructed to get affidavits for the same purpose. So far the only actual statement tending to prove that the ship was torpedoed came from one of the officers of the ship. He said he saw what he thought was the wake of a torpedo. No submarine was seen at any time.

Further dispatches from Ambassador Penfield are expected at the state department probably late today and at an event tomorrow. Meanwhile other consular agents along the Mediterranean coast are, like Consul Garrels, seeking further information.

The absence of further definite advice is holding the situation, so far as any action by the United States is concerned, at a standstill.

Washington, Jan. 6.—American consul at Alexandria reported that the affidavits he has gathered from the Persia survivors gave no more proofs that a submarine torpedoed the liner or regarding its nationality than were contained in his first dispatches.

Washington, Jan. 6.—Senator Simmons and Overman, of North Carolina, asked President Wilson today if any further information about the death of Consul McNeely had been received. McNeely was from North Carolina. The president told them that no facts had come to the government within the last two days but that every effort was being made to obtain additional information.

Washington, Jan. 6.—The Rev. Homer R. Salisbury of this city, the Seventh Day Adventist missionary superintendent for India, who sailed on the liner Persia from Marseilles, is given up for lost, in a report which the Penninsular and Oriental line has transmitted to the American embassy in London. The report was transmitted today to the state department. Dr. Salisbury was born at Battle Creek, Michigan in 1870.

SWEEPING CALL ISSUED TO ALL NATIONAL BANKS

Washington, Jan. 6.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call to all national banks, requiring them to report to him their condition at the close of business on Friday, December 31.

In today's call the comptroller goes further than at any previous time to learn if money is being loaned by national banks in violation of state usury laws. He asks for a list of loans by all banks during 1915. "Upon which interest was charged or collected, either in the shape of interest, discount or commission, at rates which would amount to more than the equivalent of six percent per annum."

"Banks are cautioned," says the call, "to prepare this statement with care and accuracy. When this report shall have been received, national bank examiners will be instructed to verify the report submitted by some banks, and if errors or discrepancies should be discovered which may seem to make it necessary in order to secure accuracy to verify banks, the examiners will be given instructions accordingly." The call also asks banks to state whether it is their custom to require borrowers to carry de-

posits when loans are granted, how much they are now loaning to non-depositors and how much is loaned and not secured by collateral.

The aggregate of amounts which borrowers have refused to pay banks because of alleged usury is asked, and also the total payments made by banks as penalties for usury.

The call asks for complete information as to the connections of officers and directors of any bank in other banks or trust companies, their salaries, liability or payers or undersers and guarantors of paper, and the amount of overdrafts against them.

Columbus, Jan. 6.—Harry T. Hall, state superintendent of banks, today issued a call for state bank reports at the close of business on December 31, the same date fixed in the National bank call.

ALLIES SHELL LENS

Berlin, Jan. 6 (by wireless to Sayville).—A French hand grenade attack against the German lines northeast of Lens, according to the captain, Luigi Zannoni.

SALARIES INCREASED

New York, N. Y., Jan. 6.—The United States Steel Corporation today decided to increase the wages of virtually all of the unskilled employees about ten per cent.

300 More Men Strike

Youngstown, Jan. 6.—Three hundred more workmen in the tube department of the Youngstown Sheet and Tube company's plant struck today. There are 600 now out at this plant which employs 9,000. The officials of the Republic Iron and Steel company, where 2,500 workmen have struck resulting in closing the plant and forcing 6,000 into idleness, today refused the demands of the strikers at a conference. The men demand 25 cents an hour for a ten hour day and overtime concessions.

"KING" COLE IS CALLED

Bay City, Mich., Jan. 6.—Leonard J. Cole, pitcher on the New York American League baseball team and formerly with the Chicago National League Club, died at his home here today. He had been seriously ill for several weeks. Cole was popularly known as "King" Cole and went from the Columbus American Association team about two years ago.

MAY BE ASKED TO DISMOUNT THE GUNS

New York, Jan. 6.—Gunners of the royal Italian navy were in charge of the two guns on Italian liner Giuseppe Verdi, which arrived here today from Genoa, Naples, and Palermo, according to the captain, Luigi Zannoni.

After the vessel left Palermo the captain said, daily practice was held with the guns, barrels having been thrown overboard as targets. The guns were placed on the Giuseppe Verdi by order of the Italian naval authorities but the captain declares he was instructed to use them for defensive purposes only.

New York, Jan. 6.—The Italian liner Giuseppe Verdi, arrived here today from Genoa, Naples and Palermo, carrying two four-inch naval guns mounted in the stern. Passengers said they understood the Italian government had been responsible for the mounting of these guns, which were intended to repel any submarine that might have attacked the steamship in the Mediterranean.

After leaving Palermo on Dec. 24, all lights on the Giuseppe Verdi were carefully concealed and during the daytime the steamer covered a roundabout course for the purpose of avoiding hostile submarines.

Officers reported having encountered terrific northwest and west gales during a considerable portion of the voyage, and the high seas smashed several of the liner's life boats and put out of commission the telephone system between the bridge and pilot house and engine room. The French liner La Touraine which sailed from Bordeaux on September 6th, also arrived a few days late, having been held up by the gales which have raged over the Atlantic in the past two weeks.

Washington, Jan. 6.—The guns on the Verdi prove to bring up again a point which was disputed ever since the war began. At the outset of hostilities the United States took the position that ships

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STEAMER KANAWHA VICTIM OF STORM IN THE OHIO RIVER-TRAGEDY WAS NEAR PARKERSBURG, W. VA.

THE SURVIVORS
Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Beaver, Racine, Ohio.
Mr. and Mrs. William Burdette, Gallipolis, Ohio.
E. W. Edgerton and wife, Washington, D. C.
Mrs. John Douglas Hoblitzell, Washington, D. C.
Mr. and Mrs. Burt Lawrence, Long Bottom, Ohio.
E. P. Lantou, Readville, Ohio.
Dan Patchell, Pilot, Buffalo, W. Va.
George Beegle, Ellysses Beegle, E. C. Atkinson, Racine, Ohio.
James Pettit, chief engineer, this city.
Brady Berry, Williamson, W. Va., captain.
Miller Burdette, mate, Gallipolis, Ohio.
O. E. Hisson, second mate, Grandview, Ohio.
Ed Roberts, cabin boy, Gallipolis, Ohio.
Dopy Martini, East Liverpool, Ohio.
Lawrence West, Gallipolis, Ohio.
J. J. Sayre, East Liverpool, Ohio.
Will Birdwell, deck hand, Charleston, W. Va.
A. J. Hudson, Graham Station, W. Va.
James Manley, cabin boy, Pittsburgh.
Ernest Arnold, fireman, Pomeroy, Ohio.
Ralph Pierce, deck hand, Salisbury, Conn.
George McElhose, second engineer, Marietta, Ohio.
Clarence Bobb, Surdis, Ohio.
Fred Hoyt, Marietta, Ohio.
John Sears, Lexington, Ky.
Leo Embroski, Pittsburgh.
John Allen, John Fulton, Charles Thompson, Robert Riekey, Henry Davis, cabin boy, Hermann Harris, cabin boy, Lincoln Wash. ing, cabin boy, all of Gallipolis, Ohio.
John Rader, cabin boy, Will Engle, Pittsburgh.
Edgar Shaggs, chef, LaCrosse, Wis.
Emerson Wright, Marietta, Ohio.
J. H. Hutton, Pittsburgh.
E. C. Atkinson, Racine, Ohio, and John Judson, Middleport, Ohio.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Jan. 6.—Captain W. E. Roe, one of the owners of the steamer Kanawha, reached here this afternoon from the point where the steamer was wrecked last night and it is said that at least six persons had not yet been accounted for. These included two women, Mrs. E. C. Atkinson, of Racine, Ohio, and Mrs. Campbell, a negro maid, of Pomeroy, Ohio, Lloyd Gee, a steward; Art Beaver, watchman; A. D. Hoblitzell, of Washington, D. C., and Bert Wolf.

It was also reported that the body of Mrs. Campbell had been washed ashore at New England, a short distance below the wreck and that another body had been located believed to be that of Mrs. F. A. Patrick, of Belleville, Ohio.

Gallipolis, O., Jan. 6.—It was learned here today that the bodies of two women had been recovered from the Ohio river several miles below the scene of the wreck of the river packet Kanawha.

The bodies recovered are those of Anna Campbell, Pomeroy, Ohio, maid on the boat, and Mrs. Fitzpatrick, Belleville, O., a passenger. They were found at New England, W. Va. River men now place the list of missing at eighteen, and Captain Berry estimates the loss of life at twelve.

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DEMANDS THE RESIGNATION OF PRISON OFFICIAL

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 6.—Governor Whitman today demanded the resignation of John B. Riley, state superintendent of prisons. The demand was contained in a letter to Superintendent Riley, who is either in New York or making an inspection of Sing Sing prison.

Anyone one o' th' reasons th' Germans are sendin' th' Ford peace bunch across the country in a sealed train is that they expect t' exhibit 'em and charge admission. And while I'm about it I wanta remark that I reckon th' whole capoodle will go on th' lecture platform once they get back to th' S. A. Here's the dope for tomorrow.
Ohio—Fair tonight. Colder in southeast portions. Friday fair and slightly warmer.
Kentucky—Fair and continued cold tonight. Colder in southeast portion. Friday fair and slightly warmer.
West Virginia—Partly cloudy, and much colder tonight. Probably snow in the mountains. Friday fair.



The Young Lady Across the Way

Young lady across the way always makes her very happy in the paper that some people have adopted a poor plan and to know that the brought up from the under the very best of influences.

(Entered by Adams Newspaper Service)

RIVER IS ON STAND

BULLETIN.
The Ohio river has been on a stand here all day, the marks at 3 p. m. showing 44.7 ft., which was the exact stage recorded by the gauge at 7 a. m.
Capt. Fred Hornbrook, of Evansville, Ind., formerly of this city spent a few hours here

Thursday and left with Capt. Harry Donnelly for a business trip up the river. They jointly own the Portsmouth wharftboat and are partners in a lower Ohio river packet line.
Rains above were heavier than here, the local downfall not amounting to much and the Ohio river came

250,000 PENNIES SAVED IN 10 WEEKS

My what a record!
In ten weeks the school children of the city have saved 250,000 pennies.
Clerk Wm. Hazlebeck announced today that during these ten weeks the pupils saved \$2,500. This week's collection amount to \$314.97, the largest collection for a single week, showing that the children put to good use money received for Xmas.

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For further particulars see

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Charles Krick Is New Noble Grand

HE KNEW TOO MUCH

By DONALD CHAMBERLIN

Everybody knows that the besetting sin among officials in Russia is graft. From the highest to the lowest they expect the palm to be crossed before they will do their duty, and a favor costs a great deal more.
There was once a general in Russia who was intimately connected with the imperial family. His name was Alexander Rizenoff. He was a skillful commander, and to him Russia was indebted for its salvation in a certain war. During this time he was much troubled by the rascality of officials in the supply department. He could get neither food nor ammunition for his troops because those whose duty it was to provide and forward them were waiting for those who sold to pay their commission and those who forwarded to receive the same pecuniary attention.

General Rizenoff was a very energetic man, and after his victory determined to bring some of these officials to justice. He employed secret agents to trace the causes of the delays that had inconvenienced him, but when they made their report he found himself escaped from pursuing the matter further. His investigators had traced the graft to certain grand dukes who had been getting rich during the war, and he believed that if he brought the matter up officially he would probably be sent to Siberia on some trumped up charge.
The guilty persons knew that the general was aware of their delinquencies, but were not aware what he intended doing with the evidence in his possession. They would have liked in a plan to get rid of him, but his victory over the enemies of Russia had made him so popular that they did not dare to accuse him of any crime.
Meanwhile the general was hunted, wined and dined by the lofty and cheered wherever he appeared in public by the lower. The loudest in his praise were those who had come near thwarting his military successes and were now hunting for a plan by which they could sell his lips in case he should think of exposing their peculations.

The general was a very good man. Far from enjoying being feted, he preferred his rooms in the quarters assigned him as a commander. He was essentially a man's man and had very little to do with women.
One evening at a ball at the winter palace one of the grand dukes told the general there was a lady present who desired that he should be presented to her. Rizenoff demurred, but the would be introducer, who was an uncle to the czar, would not be refused, and he was altogether too powerful to offend. The general was led up to a Spanish lady, who looked up at him with a pair of Madonna-like eyes, which seemed to say, "I am the slave of the warrior who has led his troops to victory." Women had made no advances to him. They attacked him through his vanity and through his senses. They had all failed. "There was something impressively timid in this girl's admiration, something that seemed to say: 'I can never aspire to be noticed by you. I only wish to bask for a moment in the light of your glory.'"
Rizenoff was touched by this worship of a beautiful girl almost young enough to be his daughter. He returned it by asking her to dance. She looked up at him with a frightened glance, as much as to say: "This honor cannot be for such as I. I should not know how to behave in an exalted position as that of your partner."
Nevertheless she danced and with such grace that others ceased to dance to watch her. Every movement was perfect, yet it seemed natural, not cultivated perfection. When the dance was ended the general led his partner to one of the little nooks intended for tea and there spent the rest of the evening with her.
From that time General Rizenoff paid his court to this girl and to her only. They became very intimate. Who she was, how she came to be invited to a state ball, no one knew. She did not claim to be noble. She was too well bred to be of the peasant class. She was invited to all functions where General Rizenoff was invited, for his attentions to her were well known. On such occasions where she danced she was the center of all eyes, and it soon came to be noted that she never danced with any one except Rizenoff. Whether no one else asked her to dance or whether she considered it such an honor to be chosen by him that it would be a sacrifice to dance with any one else did not transpire.

One night Rizenoff departed from the palace of a grand duke where a ball was in progress in a carriage in company with Inez Cardena. Shortly afterward the carriage drove up to the general's quarters. When the door was opened Rizenoff's dead body was there with a wound sticking in his heart. No living person was in the carriage.

People talked, but only under their breath. Information was leaked from the palace that the general had come to his death from cause or chance in accordance with the government, and it was forbidden to discuss the matter. "She was a dancer from Madrid," said a man to another in speaking of Inez Cardena.
"And the general knew too much."

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If you have a room which is not occupied you should be using TIMES WANT ADS.

The newly elected officers of Portsmouth Lodge of Odd Fellows were installed by District Deputy William Beetman Wednesday night.

Charles Krick was installed as noble grand; Garnet Woods as vice grand; Cecil Calvert, recording secretary; Charles A. Rice, financial secretary; Jacob Hobstetter, treasurer.

An application for membership was received from Jesse Barber, father of the 1916 baby. The figure "16" plays prominently in the application, for being the proud dad of the 1916 baby, he resides at No. 1316 Union street, and the number of the lodge is 416.

Back From Visit
Conrad Bauer, of this city, has returned from a visit with relatives in Buena Vista.

NEW OWNERS TAKE OVER HOTEL

Pearl Fannin of South Portsmouth and Dan Holbrook, of Fire Brick, Ky., closed a deal Thursday whereby they became owners of the Biggs House. They took charge at once.

MR. MILLISON PRESIDENT

The Barber's Union at an enthusiastic meeting Wednesday night installed its new elected officers. Charles D. Millison was installed as president. Two new members were elected to membership.

BROKE BONE IN WRIST

Alfred Workman, a C. & O. brakeman fell from a box car Thursday morning while near Fullerton and broke a small bone in his left wrist.

OBITUARY

Flossie J. Carter
Flossie J. Carter was born at Portsmouth, O., Feb. 25, 1904. She died Jan. 5, 1916, at the home of her parents, Jackson and Ella Carter of 1222 Twelfth street. She was a pupil in the Fifth B grade, Lincoln school until Christmas, taking part in the Christmas program. She was taken seriously ill Sunday following with pneumonia. She was a member of the Second Presbyterian Sunday School. A modest, quiet child, loved by her playmates and teachers. Aside from her mother and father she leaves eight uncles, Jas. Carter, Fullerton, Ray Carter, 1222 Twelfth, James Gray, McCall, Ky., William Gray, 1213 Fourteenth, Thomas Gray, Edw. Carter, Chinnsville, Ky., Robert and Albert Carter, McCall, Ky., and three aunts, Mrs. Emma Wilburn, East Monroe, O., Mrs. Lydia Owens, McCall, Ky., Katie Jenkins, 1214 Fifteenth.

The funeral will take place from the home, 1222 Twelfth St. between twelve and one o'clock tomorrow (Friday morning) conducted by Rev. Geo. P. Horst of the Second Presbyterian church. The remains will be taken to Marion Hill, Ky., for burial.

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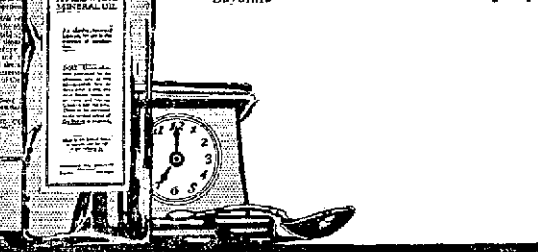
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Attended Funeral
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Thomas, 1423 Mount street attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary Plummer at Vanceburg, Wednesday, who passed away Sunday as the result of an attack of paralysis. Mrs. Plummer, who was 65 years of age, and who is survived by her husband and five grown daughters, was an aunt of Mrs. Thomas.

Samuel Seeley Ferguson Funeral
The body of Samuel Seeley Ferguson en route from Amanda, Ohio, to South Webster, passed through Portsmouth on Wednesday noon, attended by numerous relatives and friends.
The funeral services were held at the M. E. church at 3 p. m., conducted by the Rev. F. H. Locke, D. D., of Columbus, O., assisted by Rev. Dix, of the local church. Notwithstanding the inclement weather and the lateness of the hour, the services which were of an impressive character, were largely attended by the people of that village and surrounding country, where Mr. Ferguson was so well and favorably known. The body was tenderly laid to rest in the village cemetery by the side of his companion, who preceded him in death four years ago.

IN MEMORIAM
Once more has the silver ties been broken—the thoughts of joy and happiness of two that had just pledged their love and affection and started upon the journey of life together, been shattered and a heart which was once overflowing with happiness is filled with grief and sadness. All we can do is to remember the one who has passed on, and to hope that his soul is at peace.

Funeral Services
The funeral services of the late Charles Fennelbacher will be conducted Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the home, 1670 Highland avenue. The services will be in charge of Rev. C. Lloyd Street, pastor of the Trinity M. E. church, this city. Interment will be made in the cemetery at Greenlawn. Friends are invited to the services.
All N. & W. employees who desire to attend the funeral of the late Charles F. Fennelbacher, will meet at the hilltop engine house at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon from which place they will march in a body to the Fennelbacher residence, 1670 Highland avenue, where brief funeral services will be held before the body is taken to Lucasville for final interment.

Mrs. Sarah Noel
Mrs. Sarah Noel, aged 75 years, developed a sudden attack of heart failure at her home in Pond Street, O. The funeral services were held Friday morning at 10 o'clock from the home of her son, Mr. Charles H. Fennelbacher, at 1670 Highland avenue, where brief funeral services will be held before the body is taken to Lucasville for final interment.
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Marie Powell
Marie, the 18-months-old baby daughter of Thomas Powell, an employee of the Whitaker-Glessner Company, died at the family home on Pine street, New Boston, Thursday morning of pneumonia. The body will be taken to Appleton, Saturday morning for burial.

Wm. H. Triplett
William H. Triplett, aged 50 years, a prominent merchant of Garrison, Ky., died at his home in that village Wednesday night about 10 o'clock after a six months' illness with liver and stomach trouble.
Mr. Triplett was a native of Ashland, Ky., but had been located at Garrison for the past fifteen years, conducting a general store there. He leaves a wife, Mrs. Tompa Hannah Triplett, one daughter, Mrs. Emma Catherine Anderson, wife of Carl Anderson, and three sons, Raymond H. Charles B. and Leo R. Triplett, all at home.
Mr. Triplett was affiliated with the Christian church and was a member of the Ashland Lodge of Odd Fellows. The funeral will take place Saturday with burial in the graveyard at Gray's Branch, Ky.

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MISSING BOY LOCATED AT UNCLE'S WEST SIDE HOME

Just as city employees were preparing to again drag Lawson's Run and do some dynamiting towards finding Josh Montgomery, a 15-year-old boy, who disappeared Wednesday, a tip was received at headquarters Thursday afternoon that the boy

was alive. It soon developed that the missing boy and a younger brother had been seen by A. B. Stockham, a Turkey Creek merchant, shortly after noon. They were bound for the home of an uncle, nine miles up the creek he said. Several boys of that locality had recognized and spoken to them, he said.

At the request of the police officials, Marshal Davis, of New Boston, visited the home at Lakeside, where the missing boy's father boards, and found that the younger boy had left there Thursday morning to visit his West Side uncle. This removed all further doubt that the two boys were together, alive and safe. All further investigation was thereafter dropped by officials.

When it was reported that the Montgomery boy was missing, it was thought that he might have drowned in the back waters of Lawson Run.

The improvised raft the boy had constructed the day before and his paddle were found hugging the bank near the big hole caused by excavating for the new Lawson Run viaduct, directly at the head of New Sixth street. This discovery increased the fears that the boy had probably fallen from the raft and drowned, and William Whisman, a contractor and cement worker at whose home, 2202 Sixth street, the boy had been staying, and Mr. Pemberton headed a party that began dragging the stream in search for the body.

They continued their efforts until a late hour Wednesday night and at one time thought they had caught what seemed to them was the boy's body. The search was resumed Thursday morning and the police were also called upon

to give their assistance. The boy had been a member of the Whisman household since last October. He came there barefooted and hungry and begged for something to eat. He said he was homeless, his father having abandoned him and the whereabouts of the mother who had separated from her husband four years ago were unknown to him. The Whismans took pity on him and gave him a home, he paying for his

board by looking after their stock and doing odd jobs about the place. He had told them that his father had never schooled him to any extent and for that reason preferred to work. He was a likeable chap and the family soon began regarding him as one of their own.

The missing boy is a son of Josh Montgomery, a mill man, who makes his home with a sister-in-law, Mrs. Alice Fife, of Lakeside.

GRAND JURY MONDAY

Judge Thomas has issued a call for the grand jury to convene in extra session next Monday afternoon, at one o'clock, to take up the examination of cases that have been transferred from the lower courts since the last session.

Locals In List

Two Scioto county residents are included in the long list of persons that would be benefited by the passage of the bill carrying appropriations to reimburse Civil War veter-

ans or their estates for "travel pay," introduced in the House of Representatives at Washington Wednesday by Representative Langley, of Kentucky. They are Elizabeth G. Hill, \$117, and Mary Ludwick, \$90.

Over 3,600 Names In Christmas Club

That prosperity is here with a capital P is shown by the fact that the 1916 membership class of

the First National Bank's Christmas Savings Club, now exceeds that of 1915, which was one of the most successful conducted by any bank in this section of the state. Up to Wednesday evening the class numbered more than 3600, and it is confidentially expected the mark of 6000 will be reached, for during the past few days the class has been increasing at the rate of 250 every twenty-four hours.

According to Cashier Dan W. Conroy, the one most notable feature is the fact that the members are on the whole taking out larger sums than last year. Last year the bank paid out over \$60,000, and it would occasion no surprise this year should the sum exceed \$100,000. The club will remain open until January 8.

AT DEATH'S DOOR

George Gillen, one of the best known citizens of the West End, was reported dying Thursday afternoon of pneumonia. Relatives are at the bedside.

Jack Does Good Business

James Ryan transported a big load of people from Buena Vista to Portsmouth Thursday morning, in his motor boat.

Aliscock
PLASTERS
The World's Greatest
External Remedy
Coughs and Cold
Whooping Cough
Weak Croup
Any Local
Druggist
Sells
Hottel
Hottel

HEADACHE

Sick or nervous headaches always result from a torpid liver or a disordered stomach—treat the liver, or sweeten the stomach, and the head is cured. The sure way is to take

SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS

They invariably relieve all ailments resulting from liver or stomach trouble—quickly remove indigestion, constipation, biliousness, indigestion, constipation, etc. Purely vegetable. Plain or Sugar Coated. 60 YEARS' CONTINUOUS SALE PROVES THEIR MERIT. Dr. J. H. Schenck & Son, Philadelphia.

BIRTHS

A son was born Thursday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Anderson, of Gallia avenue. Mr. Anderson is a shoemaker.

A son was born Thursday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Conley of the Scioto Trail. Mr. Conley is a tenant on the Peart farm.

Twins, a boy and a girl, were born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kress, of Buena Vista, Wednesday evening. Mr. Kress is the undertaker at Buena Vista. His wife is a daughter of John Blackburn, of this city, formerly of Rome.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lambert, of 1117 Offshore street, are the proud parents of a daughter, born Wednesday evening.

Twins daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker at their home in South Portsmouth Wednesday. The proud father is employed at the N. & W. Terminals. He is a son of Constable Henry H. Baker, of this city.

WITH THE SICK

Violet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Smith, of 1328 Grandview avenue, is ill with the grip.

Jasper Hawkins, of Ninth street, was reported at the point of death Thursday. He has been suffering with heart trouble and rheumatism.

Miss May Allen is ill with grip at her home, 727 Third street.

Mrs. Mary Hubbard has been ill with the grip at her home, 1829 Waller street.

Little Miss Dorothy Smith, of Union street, has been ill for a week with grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nichols, of Ninth and Washington streets, have been quite ill with the grip.

Mrs. Cornein Baker, of Second street, is ill with grip.

Robert Sparks, of Union street, is very ill with grip and complications.

Morgan Clifford, of Turkey Creek, who was stricken with paralysis a week ago, is reported improving.

Mrs. Frances McKnight, of Eleventh street, was reported seriously ill with grip Thursday.

Mrs. Adolph Glocker, who has been ill with grip, is convalescing.

Orville Sprague, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Sprague, of 1429 Third street, is ill with the grip.

Philip Noel, a pioneer farmer of Clay township, is ill at his home on the Scioto Trail. Mr. Noel is 91 years of age.

Miss Angeline Warren, of Clay street, is ill at her home with the grip.

Miss Thelma, employed in the I. F. Carr jewelry store on Chillicothe street, is quite ill with the grip.

Mrs. S. S. Garvey, of Siloam, Ky., is ill with the grip.

Ben Bishop, of New Boston, returned Thursday from a visit to Buena Vista. His sister, Mrs. Rosa Strupe, of that place, has

A Coat Sale That Can't Last Long! \$25.00 Coats For \$10.00

Far be it from us to place undue pressure upon your coming to this sale of women's coats now in progress, but the fact remains nevertheless that ere long desirable coats at very desirable reductions will be very scarce.

It will be useless for our buyer to go into the market again for the manufacturers are all cleaned up on winter coats and their attention now is Springward. We have quite an assortment as yet of extremely desirable and very new coats, the \$25.00 variety for only \$10.00 and just to illustrate the value of this special, you will find that the collars on some of these coats are easily worth \$4.00 to \$5.00, or half the price you are paying now for these coats.

Our only advice to you is to come at once.

Our Plush Coats are \$17.50

Worth considerable more, and very new in fashion, being just from the makers' hands, these plush coats represent a considerable reduction in price as you will readily see when examining the fabric, style and fit of these splendid garments. These rare specials will not last long. When they are gone, no more can be had.

Last Ten Days of The Golconda Diamond Demonstration!

The sale of these beautiful Golconda Diamonds closes Saturday, January 15. Only a few days left to procure these brilliant gems. Below are a few special values for Friday.

Signet Rings—regularly 50c; special at 25c
Bar and Lace Pins—regularly 75c; special at 45c
Birth Stone Rings—regularly \$1.25; special at 85c
Cuff Links—regularly 75c; special at 60c
La Vallieres—regularly \$2.50 and \$3.00; special \$2.00

The Anderson Bros Co.
COR. CHILLICOTHE & THIRD STS.

Woman Stricken

When neighbors visited Miss Anna Karl, of No. 624 Offshore street, Wednesday morning, they found she had suffered a paralytic stroke that had rendered her speechless.

Miss Karl had just returned home Sunday night from a holiday visit to relatives in Columbus, and had become ill while there.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Three marriage licenses were issued Wednesday evening by Judge Beatty, who was called from his home to act as an aid to Dan Cupid. Licenses were issued to the following:
Lewis Adams, 22, clerk at steel plant and Katherine Yates, 24, stenographer, both of this city; Rev. Charles E. Chandler.
Fred P. Marple, 32, shoemaker, and Tessie Gottrille, 34, both of this city; Squire A. J. Finney.
Frank White, 22, a chauffeur, of New Boston and Lulu Gowdy, 24 of Sciotoville; Rev. B. P. Porter.

SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. West, who have been visiting friends and relatives for the past few days, have returned to their home at Blackstone, O.

Miss Mary Ridd, of Wilmington, O., who has been the guest of relatives for a week, returned Wednesday to her home.

Opportunity For Young Man

Wanted partner in good business in Portsmouth. Young man with selling ability and is willing to hustle, can obtain half interest in a five wire proposition. Must have from \$50 to \$100 cash. This is a clean legitimate deal and will earn a large income without capital.

Write fully your age, experience and references, in strict confidence, address Opportunity, Post Office Box 629.

TURNTABLE IS HERE

Master Carpenter C. H. H. How and a force of bridge carpenters arrived here from Chillicothe Thursday to unload and install the big new turn table at the local B. & O. S.W. yards.

May Solicit Donations
Miss Amy Moore, a Portsmouth young woman, who had the misfortune to lose her hearing, was given permission by Mayor Kays Thursday to solicit donations in the city.

Wants Alleys Paved
Mayor H. H. Kays said Thursday that one of the aims of the present administration would be to take up the paving of alleys as soon as possible.

The Columbia Tonight

Special Two Reel Thanhouser Production

"An Innocent Sinner"

Featuring Kathryn Adams and the Thanhouser Twins

"A Girl, A Guard and a Garret"

"The Book Agent"

Hear De Bruin Sing One of His Best Songs
"And She Lives Down In Our Alley"

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John Larkins, of Rineer street, got hold of a box of pills and ate some tablets containing arsenic Wednesday, was reported out of danger Thursday. The child before detected.

The Solitaire Diamond Cluster

See Them In Our Window

J. F. Carr

Jeweler Optician

424 Chillicothe Near Gallia

No. 3800
Carat Size
\$40.00

No. 3700
Carat Size
\$47.00

No. 4000
Carat Size
\$58.00

No. 5000
Carat Size
\$67.00

No. 6000
Carat Size
\$91.00

No. 8000
Carat Size
\$168.00

No. 8500
Carat Size
\$261.00

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Shippers to all parts of the world. Estimates cheerfully made at any time. Furniture, Packer, Crater and Shipper. Our exclusive Storage and Packing Departments open for inspection every day. 20 years' experience makes us reliable.

Warehouse and Office 625 Second
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PEEL & CO.

FOR SALE:—Small supply of stereotype mats. Better than paper for laying under carpets. The Times Office. 4tf

FOR SALE:—French poodle pups. Wallace, 6th and Gay. 3-1f

FOR SALE:—5 room cottage, water, gas, 617 Boundary, \$2,160 if sold at once. Bargain. Apply 617 Boundary. Phone 1066 Y. 6-3f

FOR SALE:—One Buick Model C 37, 1915, fully equipped. One Oakland 1913 Model in good condition.

One Studebaker roadster, 1913 model, first class condition.

Chalmers Detroit, 6 passenger, 40 h. p. good condition.

Overland Model 80, 1915, electric starter and light, first class condition.

Buick 1913, five passenger, good shape.

Buick model 17, first class condition.

Thos. W. Fickling Garage, phone 1363-L. 411 Front St. 5-1f

FOR SALE:—Lot 35 ft. front, Gallia street at Terminals. Lot through to Walnut street, \$1,000.00.

6 room 2 story, bath, corner lot on hill, hard wood floors, cheap at \$3500.00.

Fire, Life, Health and Accident Insurance.

P. W. Kilecyn, 1218 Grandview Ave., phone 1408-L. 4-1f

FOR SALE:—8 room house with bath, all hardwood finish, up to date in every particular, 18th and Grandview.

4 room house on 18th St. or corner of alley.

6 room house with bath, cellar, barn, 2017 17th St., in fine condition.

5 room house with bath, cellar and barn, 1906 Grandview Ave. See Alan Jordan. Phone 177 or 370. 12tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE:—Seven passenger six cylinder automobile, fine running order, an up-to-date car. Price \$3000. Ten shares in Brotherhood Building Co. A. M. Kidd, 3306 Center St., phone 1579. 29-1f

FOR SALE:—88 acre farm, two miles east of Lucasville, three acres timber, balance in cultivation. Good well of soft water. 3 good springs, large barn, small house, 5 room frame house, concrete porch, concrete cellar 16 ft. square, 500 young apple trees, most of them 14 years old. Pear, cherry and plum trees. 1914 crop of apples was 1400 bushels. 1915 crop was 1500 bushels very fine apples.

No trade considered, will take mortgage. W. T. Pank, Lucasville, Ohio, R. R. 4. 5-10

FOR SALE:—2 pool tables complete in first class condition. Julius Arbogast, 1025 Findlay. Dly 5-3f; wk 1

FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—3 room house at 821 Prospect. Phone 1583-L. 6-2f

FOR RENT:—New four room house, water and gas, 1533 7th. Phone 1749-X. 6-3

FOR RENT:—5 room house with bath on Spring St. Call 1274-Y. 6-1f

FOR RENT:—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 724 6th St., phone 952-X. 6-3f

FOR RENT:—Four room flat, outside entrance; phone 744-B. 6-3f

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room, private entrance, 537 Second street. 6-2f

FOR RENT:—8 room 2 story brick house, 1011 Third street. Inquire Lehman's store. 6-3f

FOR RENT:—1 room cottage, 1025 Washington St. 6-3f

FOR RENT:—5 room flat with bath, and 3 room flat, also 2 room flat at 1415 Second. Call 473-M. 6-1f

FOR RENT:—Flat 4 rooms and bath, fine location. Rent reasonable. Phone 1200-X or 649. 6-3f

FOR RENT:—Farm of 27 acres on Rosemont Road. Call at 1117 Officers after 6 p. m. 31-1f

TARPAULINS

FOR SALE OR RENT

All new, all sizes. Grimes-Strittmatter Grain Co. Both Phones 109

JOE LOVINER

PRACTICAL PLUMBING AND HEATING

1541 FIFTH STREET PHONE 420

FOR SALE:—Baby carriage in good condition. Phone 1138-Y. 6-3f

FOR SALE:—Damaged corn. Ad. Filsworth No. 1. 136-L. 6-3f

FOR SALE:—The finest gray cast iron skillets, kettles and pans at prices to please. Hardware Co. 443-445 3rd St. 6-1f

FOR SALE:—Good driving or heavy horse. 524 Seventh. 6-3f

FOR SALE:—2 lots, 46x198 ft., fully located, four minutes from traction line, Scioto. Bert Brunt, phone 28. Sciotoville exchange. 6-3f

THE HAZLEBECK CO. General Insurance

819 Gallia St. Phone 70

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping with all conveniences at 529 Third. 8-1f

FOR RENT:—2 furnished housekeeping rooms, bath. 1630 5th St. Phone 1368-A. 23-1f

FOR RENT:—4 room house, gas; 1604 Kinney St. James A. Maxwell. 7-1f

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms and meals. 618 Washington St. 4-3f

FOR RENT:—8 room house on 5th above Chillicothe. W. L. Baker, phone 172-M. 4-3f

FOR RENT:—4 room upstairs, gas and water, cheap to right party. 415 3rd. 4-3f

FOR RENT:—Room 2x60 store or storage, 2004 Robinson ave. Call 1301 Grandview. 4-3f

FOR RENT:—Attractive three-room flat, unfurnished, 1405 Park avenue. 4-3f

FOR RENT:—Furnished 4 room cottage. Phone 768. 4-3f

FOR RENT:—Two story house at 20th and Timmonds avenue. Seven rooms. Call Dr. J. B. Jordan. Phone 335. 4-3f

FOR RENT:—6 room house, water and gas, 111 Glover St., 112. Phone 344. Inquire 1318 Second. 11-tues, thur, sat 1f

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath and phone, for one or two gentlemen. 1120 8th. 2-1f

FOR RENT:—6 room cottage 8th below Campbell. All conveniences. Apply 811 Prospect. 9-1f

FOR RENT:—4 room cottage, 6 room house, gas for heat and light, Sciotoville. Call C. W. G. Hannah, 22 A, Sciotoville exchange. 25-1f

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room. All conveniences. For married couple. 704 John St. 28-1f

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 435 2nd. 5-1f

FOR RENT:—6 room house, all modern, \$20 per month. Apply 702 Campbell. Phone 1732. 5-1f

FOR RENT:—Rooms for light housekeeping or sleeping cheap. Call 918 Waller. 5-3f

FOR RENT:—Frame warehouse, sixty by seventy-two feet. Eleventh and Washington. See M. Jacobs. 5-3f

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished front room with all modern conveniences, man and wife preferred. 736 7th St., phone 295. 5-1f

FOR RENT:—2 rooms furnished for light housekeeping. 1821 7th. 5-1f

FOR RENT:—First floor flat, 5 rooms and bath (J. P. Davis homestead) 950 Second Street. Geo. M. Osborn, Turley Bldg Home phone: Office 91, Residence 219. 13-1f

FOR RENT:—5 room house with bath, 1906 Grandview Ave. Call Alan Jordan. Phone 177 or 370. 15-1f

FOR RENT:—Rooms, either suites or single. See Reuben Smith Rooms 1 and 2, Elk Bldg 9-1f

LOST

LOST:—Child's kid glove with fur top. Phone 1436-R or 504 Waller. 6-2f

LOST:—Silver friendship bracelet between 7th and Washington and Bond street school. Finder notify H. H. Higgins, 710 7th street. 4-3f

LOST:—From a mail a brown fur tail with white tip. Return to 1304 Gallia and receive reward. 5-3f

LOST:—Gold friendship bracelet on Chillicothe pike. Phone 1304-L or 1622 8th. Reward. 5-3f

Was in Buena Vista

L. C. Smith, local lumber dealer, returned home Thursday from a business visit to Buena Vista and vicinity.

Mrs. Roscoe Funderberg is quite ill with la grippe at her home, No. 1525 Seventh street.

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LOUIS HARCOURT, NEW VICEROY OF INDIA, HAS AMERICAN WIFE

Mr. and Mrs. Louis V. Harcourt.

THE MARKETS**NEW YORK STOCKS**

New York, Jan. 6.—Today's feverish market was governed almost entirely by the cautionary statement issued over night by Chairman Gary of the United States Steel Corporation.

Initial prices in the stock market today were pointed to further speculative uncertainty. A new factor of interest was injected by the statement of the head of the United States Steel Corporation which counseled caution. United States Steel opened at 87½, a small fraction over yesterday's close but soon declined to 86½ on large sales. Other leading shares were disposed to sag after their irregular opening, but declines were comparatively nominal, except in certain high priced specialties, General Motors losing 15 at 470. Rails were slightly lower with heaviness in Erie.

Coppers and specialties, particularly oils and some of the better known war descriptions, made substantial recoveries in the first hour and steel rose to 87½ before another selling movement of larger and wider proportions was encountered. On this decline steel fell to 86½ with offerings ranging from 1,000 to over 4,000 shares. Other leaders, including standard railways, went lower and some of the high priced specialties followed the lead of General Motors, International Agricultural Chemical preferred falling 8 to 64. Further heaviness was manifested with the approach of noon hour on a combination of short selling and fresh liquidations. Bonds were irregular. Movement of standard stocks and many specialties made their lowest price in the final hour. The closing was heavy.

CLOSING PRICES**NEW YORK STOCKS**

Allis Chalmers 29.
American Beet Sugar 66½.
American Can 60½.
American Car & Foundry 72.
American Cotton Oil 55½.
American Locomotive 63½.
American Smelting and Refining 110.
American Sugar Refining 114.
American Tel. & Tel. 127½.
Anaconda Copper 89½.
Atchafalpa 107½.
Baldwin Locomotive 112.
Baltimore & Ohio 94½.
Bethlehem Steel 42½.
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 87½.
California Petroleum 35.
Canadian Pacific 179½.
Central Leather 51.
Chesapeake & Ohio 64½.
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 100½.
Chicago, R. I. and Pacific Ry. 17½.
Chino Copper 54½.
Crescent Steel 64½.
Denver & Rio Grande pfd. 21.
Erie 41½.
General Electric 173.
General Motors 440.
Goodrich Co. 73½.
Great Northern Ore. Cfs. 48½.
Great Northern pfd. 124½.
Illinois Central 108½.
Interborough - Consol. Corp. 19½.
Inter. Harvester, N. J. 108½.
Lehigh Valley 80½.
Louisville & Nashville 128½.
Maxwell Motor Co. 69½.
Mexican Petroleum 114½.
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd. 16.
Missouri Pacific 54½.
National Lead 68.
New York Central 108½.
N. Y. N. H. & Hartford 75.
Norfolk & Western 121.
Northern Pacific 117½.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Chicago, Jan. 6.—Wheat developed fresh strength today, influenced by the fact that rumors of the Kaiser's death had failed to be confirmed. The presence of a cold wave in the absence of snow protection over the winter crop dealt tended also to lift prices. Advances in ocean freight rates, however, and lower quotations from Liverpool acted as a handicap on the bulls. The opening, which ranged from ½¢ to ½¢ higher, with May at 1.27½¢ and July at 1.19½¢, was followed by decided further gains, but then a sharp reaction. The market rallied on account of smallness of receipts northwest and owing to assertions, that imports from Canada were next to impossible because of the difficulty of getting cars. (Upturns, though, were more than offset by advice telling of prospective larger shipments from Argentina and Australia in consequence of new cargo regulations by the British government. The close was steady ½¢ to ½¢ net lower with May at 1.26½¢ and July at 1.18½¢.

Waves of buying hoisted corn. The government crop report continued to be the incentive. After opening ½¢ to 1¢ higher the market scored further gains before undergoing a moderate setback.

Car scarcity and the smallness of country offerings helped to cause renewed strength. Besides Liverpool prices were the highest ever known. The close was steady at ½¢ to ½¢ net advance. Oats hardened with other grain. Bulls pointed out that oats were lower than a year ago, whereas corn was one cent higher.

Higher prices on hogs gave a lift to provisions. Gains, though, were not fully maintained. Selling by packers led to relative weakness in the late transactions.

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Chicago, Jan. 6.—Pork: Jan. \$18.95; May \$19.25.

Lard: Jan. \$10.12; May \$10.37.

Ribs: Jan. \$10.35; May \$10.72.

TOLEDO GRAIN

Toledo, Jan. 6.—Wheat: Cash \$1.30; May \$1.34½; July \$1.25.

Corn: Cash, new 75½¢; old 78½¢; May 79½¢; July 80½¢.

Oats: Cash 47¢; May 51½¢.

Rye: No. 2, 97¢.

Converted: Prime cash \$11.90; Jan. \$11.90; Feb. \$11.95; March \$11.80.

Alsike: Prime cash \$10.25; Feb. \$10.35; Mar. \$10.45.

Timothy: Prime cash \$3.82½¢; Feb. \$3.85; Mar. \$3.90.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 6. Hogs, 5,100; strong. Packers and butchers, \$7.05 to \$7.30; common to choice, \$4.00 to 6.75; pigs and lights, \$4.50 to 7.00.

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Sheep—receipts 15,000; steady. Wethers, \$7.50 to 7.25; lambs, \$7.75 to 10.25.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, Jan. 6.—Cattle—Receipts 109, market slow and steady.

Calves: Receipts 200, market steady.

Sheep and Lambs: Receipts 1,000, market steady.

Hogs: Receipts 2,500, 25 up. Yorkers, lights, heavies and mediums, \$7.40; pigs \$7.00; roughs \$6.40; stags \$5.50.

PITTSBURGH

Pittsburgh, Jan. 6.—Hogs: Receipts 3,500, higher; heavies \$7.35 to \$7.40; heavy Yorkers \$7.60 to \$7.65; light Yorkers \$7.40 to \$7.50; pigs \$7.00 to \$7.25.

Sheep and Lambs: Receipts 700, higher; top sheep \$7.25; top lambs \$10.55.

Calves: Receipts 150, higher; top \$12.25.

PRODUCE MARKET

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, Jan. 6.—Poultry, fat fowls, 17½¢ to 18¢; fat springers, 17½¢ to 18¢; light and medium chickens, 15¢ to 16¢.

Other markets unchanged.

CHICAGO

Chicago, Jan. 6.—Butter unchanged. Eggs receipts, 3,577 cases, unchanged.

Potatoes—higher; receipts, 27 cars. Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Dakota white and Minnesota and Dakota Ohio 90¢.

PRICES LOWERED



Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, and etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, O. Office Phone 80.

grease from blue silk foulard? The garment was worn but little, and this would oblige me very much.

MATILDA.

Try sponging the spot with pure ether after rubbing powdered French chalk on the wrong side of the silk, to extract the grease. Leave this on all night. Next morning brush out the powder and sponge the right side with the ether. If this fails try a mixture of grain alcohol and ether, in equal parts, with a dash of ammonia. This seldom fails.

Dear Miss Dolly—I am a young man only 20 years of age and very good looking and handsome, and have been keeping company with a girl of 17 for about six months. I was engaged to be married, but she has quit me all at once. She said she was not going to go with any boys any more. I really loved her and would give my life for her, but that doesn't help at all. She only laughs at me. I always treated her with

great respect and tried to show her a good time, but she would not accept it. Now, Dolly, please give me some advice how to win her back again, as she knows that I love her. Please publish this as quick as possible.

Unless you are making enough money to support a wife, and have enough saved to furnish a home comfortably, you have no right to ask a girl to marry you. The reason there are so many divorcees and unhappy marriages in the world is because boys and girls of your age get married on the spur of the moment, without ever thinking of the future, or where their next meal is coming from. You can't live on love, my boy, especially when the "apple of your eye" does not cure a cent for you. Better forget the girl, get down to work and make something out of yourself. You can't get married any more, until you are 21. Beyond that, the close of leap year, no doubt some sweet young thing will have nabbed you.

SOCIETY

Dear Miss Wise—My husband has a blue serge suit and it looks kind of sick, or shiny around the sleeves and shoulders of the coat. I want to know if there is some preparation to use that will take out the sickness out of blue serge suits.

MRS. E. W. R.

Sponge the suit with vinegar, or blanching water and press on the wrong side. You will have to do this quite often as the "shine" will come back in no time.

Sciotoville—Dear Miss Wise—Would you kindly tell me the names of the different daily papers published in Harrisburg, Pa.? Thinking you very much for your kindness.

SCIOTOVILLE READER.

The Morning Patriot, The Evening Telegraph and The Evening Star-Independent.

Dear Miss Wise—Give me a recipe for making Hamburger loaf, to use about 1-2 pounds of Hamburger each time.

E. W. R.

To 1-2 pounds of ground beef add one dozen crackers, or a similar amount of dried bread crumbs, rolled fine, one or two eggs, 3-4 cup sweet milk, one level teaspoonful of salt, a little pepper, and butter. Mix thoroughly and pack well. Pour boiling water over it and bake until thoroughly done. An onion chopped fine may be added, if desired.

Dear Dolly—Will you please tell me how to write to get a position on the stage. Also tell me what wages they pay a new beginner. I would like a singing part.

SARA.

Write to Eleanora, New York City. Actors' Bureau. You might also write to some of the theatrical companies that are advertised in the Clipper or Billboard. You can get these magazines at any of the local newsstands. I do not know what wages are paid beginners.

Dear Miss Wise—Will you please inform me as to what will remove

The Ladies' Musicale Lecture-Recital, given last evening by Henrietta Weber, was a very enjoyable entertainment. There was a good audience, although many were kept at home on account of the hard rain. Miss Weber talked of and played American music, bringing Nevin and McDowell to the front rank of the American composers. She has a charming personality, talks well and plays beautifully. She also played one of Mrs. Downing's selections. She played with superb confidence, with much taste and artistic ability. Miss Weber went from here to Columbus, where she gives a recital this evening. She is lecturer of music in the University of Chicago, and also gives a concert every Sunday evening in the Art Institute, where she plays and lectures to large audiences. The next regular recital will be held January 21st, with Mrs. Alan Jordan in charge. The program will be from French composers.

Mrs. H. B. Searl, of Cleveland, Fla., who has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Searl, has gone to Wheelersburg to visit her mother.

Dr. Herbert Shaw, who has gone to Columbus after spending the holidays with relatives in this city, leaving Mrs. Shaw and baby for a longer visit. Mr. Russell Shaw, who also left Sunday to resume his studies in New York.

The College Women's Club will give their annual banquet on the evening of January 18th, the place to be announced later.

The Hamilton-Walsh Club will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James W. Newman, on Second street.

Mrs. A. R. Moore will entertain the Le Cercle next Monday afternoon at her beautiful new home in Sunnyside.

Miss Esra Kellner entertained the M. S. Sewing Circle Monday evening at the home of her sister, Mr. Herbert Kellner, of Oak street. The evening was spent in sewing, music and singing. Miss Kellner presiding at the piano, while her two little nieces, Gladys and Estella Kellner, sang. Those present to enjoy the evening were as follows: Blanche Henry, Margaret Emmert, Mrs. Nannie Kitchin, Myrtle Thomas, Nell Center, Mae Saunders, Margaret Sutton, Kathleen Kellner, Estelle Kellner, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kellner, Mrs. Black and Miss Edith Wilson, of Wheelersburg, a niece of Mrs. Kellner. Refreshments of various kinds were served as refreshments. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Nell Center, of Oak street.

Mrs. Charles Moreland of Grandview avenue entertained a few friends Thursday afternoon with a Kensington in honor of Mrs. W. H. Eschleman, of Mount street, who is soon to leave the city for her new home in East Liverpool. Mrs. Eschleman and daughter, Alice, are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moreland for a few days before they join Mr. Eschleman at East Liverpool, where he has a responsible position.

Miss Margaret Emmert of Galbraith avenue, left Wednesday morning for a few days visit with her cousin, Miss Lottie Enlitt of George, Ohio.

Miss Henrietta Weber, of Chicago, the pianist and lecturer, who appeared before the Ladies' Musicale, was the guest during her stay here of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Shute, of No. 1713 Baird avenue. The artist and Mrs. Shute are cousins.

Four Crawford, son of George H. Crawford, book keeper at John Flannigan's coal and transfer office, returned to his studies in the medical department of the St. Louis university Wednesday after spending his holiday vacation with his parents here.

Miss Kate Breinig and Miss Elsie Ballard have returned to Chillicothe after a short visit to Mr. and Mrs. David A. Breinig of 619 Offshore street.

Mrs. A. B. Gardner, nee Mabel Rauch, of Lexington, Ky., will arrive in the city about the 15th of this month to visit her mother, Mrs. Louisa Rauch, of Third street.

Mr. Roy Baker, of Huntington, W. Va., is a guest at the home of Mr. J. H. Smith, 1221 1/2 Offshore street.

Mrs. Phyllis Easton is recovering from illness at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Easton, of Fifth street.

Mr. Louis Adams, clerk for the Western Cigar Company, and Miss C. E. Adams, stenographer, sister of Mrs. C. E. Adams, Smith will be married this evening at 7 o'clock, at the residence of Rev. Mr. C. E. Adams.

The Afternoon Sewing Club held its weekly meeting this afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Wallace, of Sixth street, where there were present Mrs. J. M. Emerson, Mrs. Anna D. Smith, Mrs. Oscar Anderson and Mr. Everett Taylor, of Green street. The meeting was followed by a delicious refreshment.

Mrs. F. C. Bradfield is a guest at the home of Mr. J. H. Smith, 1221 1/2 Offshore street.

The next meeting of the Afternoon Bridge Club will be held next week at the home of Mrs. C. B. Taylor, on Fifth street.

The Merry Twelve Club was delightfully entertained this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Arthur Stewart, on Franklin avenue.

The Young Ladies' Sewing Club will be entertained tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Guy Thompson, on Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Nageleisen are entertaining at six o'clock dinner this evening Mr. and Mrs. E. M. J. Parker, a bride and groom.

Miss Mary Berry, of Peckles, is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. C. McCoy, of Lincoln Hill.

Robert Book, salesman for the Vulcan Last Company, has gone to Pittsburgh, Pa., on a business trip.

The annual election of the Second Presbyterian Woman's Missionary Society will be held next Tuesday afternoon in the primary room.

Mrs. Guy V. Thompson will be hostess at the meeting of the Young Ladies' Sewing Club tomorrow afternoon.

The Trinity Methodist King's Sons and Daughters will meet Friday evening at the home of Miss Martha Hoffman, on Fourteenth street. The program committee will be Miss Hattie Long, Miss Katherine Stockham and Miss Hoffman.

Miss Clara Waller is ill with grip at her home on Sixth street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. West, of Blanche, and Miss Mary Riehl, of Wilmington, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Riehl, on Second street, left yesterday for a short visit in Cincinnati before going to their homes.

The Home League Club will meet next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary Russell, on Third street.

Miss M. S. Poffenberger, who has been spending the past three months at the home of her niece, Mrs. William Cramer, left this afternoon for her home in York, Pa. Mrs. Cramer accompanied her aunt as far as Columbus.

Mrs. Chris Heer was hostess at this afternoon's meeting of the Scioto Bridge Club. The guests were Miss Charlotte Ransom, Mrs. Henry T. Ransom, Mrs. George Mettenger, Mrs. Charles Hall and Mrs. Wesley Kinney, of Cincinnati. Dainty refreshments followed the game.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Mougey, of Amanda, O., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Ferguson and son, of Kimberley, W. Va., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ferguson, of 111 Court street. Mrs. Ella Ferguson, Countryman, of New York, and Mrs. Charles Worrell, of Zanesville, and Miss Helen Mougey, who is attending school at the Ohio State University, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis, of 1557 Fifth street. Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Roberts, of Amanda, O., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Oldfield, of Ninth street. Rev. Thomas Locke, presiding elder of the Columbus district of the Ohio M. E. conference, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Losh, of Court street.

The above visitors to the city were at South Webster, Wednesday, in attendance at the annual conference.

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tendence at the last rites of the late Samuel Seely Ferguson, and before returning home are guests of the above named families.

Mrs. William Flannigan, of Nauvoo, returned Thursday from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Felix Collington, of Buena Vista.

The handsome home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rardin, on Waller street, was in gala attire today, the occasion being a beautiful reception given by Mrs. Rardin and her two charming daughters-in-law, Mrs. Earl W. Rardin and Mrs. Glen E. Rardin. The spacious rooms were artistically decorated in Southern smiles, palms and scarlet carnations. Florist Bernas placing the flowers and vines in the graceful arrangement. In line to receive were Mrs. Rardin, Mrs. Earl Rardin, Mrs. Glen Rardin, Mrs. R. W. Goddard, of Wellington, mother of Mrs. Earl Rardin, and Mrs. Joseph Brant, of Lucasville, mother of Mrs. Glen Rardin. Three hundred guests were bidden to this pretty party, many of whom were detained at home on account of illness of grip in their families. The party was a picturesque scene, the handsome gowns worn by the assistants and the guests adding much to the beauty of the exquisite affair.

Mrs. J. J. Rardin was attired in gray crepe de chine, the bodice and sleeves of exquisite lace, and she wore a corsage bouquet of violets and roses. Mrs. Earl Rardin wore a beautiful white satin gown trimmed in pearls and lace, with a corsage bouquet of violets and yellow roses. Mrs. Glen Rardin, yellow marquisette, built over yellow satin, her corsage bouquet being violets. Mrs. R. W. Goddard wore yellow brocade crepe, trimmed in rare old lace. Mrs. Joseph Brant wore black pussy willow silk, the bodice trimmed in white silk net.

During the receiving hours the rooms were thronged with guests. Mrs. W. E. Gault and Mrs. P. E. Seely invited the guests to the dining-room, which was in charge of Mrs. F. B. Kehoe. Mrs. Cleve Brant, of Lucasville, and Mrs. R. Watson Goddard presided at the coffee urns at the beautifully appointed table.

Mrs. W. D. Gilliland, Mrs. George M. Taylor and Mrs. Fred Ruhnman served the dainty refreshments, while Mrs. Frank Miller and Mrs. Arthur Willey passed the cream and sugar, and Mrs. C. M. Weyand served the bon-bons. The favors, dainty sprays of smilax, with bows of scarlet ribbon, were pinned by Mrs. Clarence Nodder and Mrs. J. Frost Davis. Assisting in entertaining the guests were Mrs. Irene Drew, Mrs. W. H. Doerr, Mrs. C. E. Losh and Mrs. Spencer Cole.

The scarlet and green color scheme so appropriate at this season of the year, was entranced with the beautiful music by a saxophone trio, who played during the afternoon. Among the large number of guests were Mrs. Finis Ernest, of St. Louis, Mo., guest of Mrs. Spencer Cole; Mrs. Jay Lee Cross, of Cleveland, guest of Mrs. John Peckles; Mrs. Whitehead of Indianapolis, Ind., guest of Mrs. P. E. Seely; Mrs. J. C. Scott, of Adrian, Mich., guest of Mrs. Dossie Boyler; Mrs. Edward Gibson, of Houston, guest of Mrs. Homer C. Seely; Mrs. Charles Blankenship, of Remond, Va., guest of Mrs. W. D. Tompkins; Mrs. Weston Corson, of Philadelphia, guest of Mrs. F. B. M. Carson; Mrs. Mary Berry, of Peckles, guest of Mrs. E. C. McCoy. The day was a perfect one, in keeping with the beautiful affair.

THEATRICAL

The Sun

Beginning matinee today for last half of the week, Robert Kane presents his "Simple Simon Musical Extravaganza Company," introducing the latest songs, classical dances and good comedy. Change of bill daily. From the Richmond, Va. Times.

The Simple Simon Musical Company opened at the Grand Theatre last night to a capacity audience, and is the very best company of its kind that has ever played the city. It was a riot of fun, comedy and music from the rise to the fall of the curtain, and the performance is the talk of the town today. It goes without saying that the theatre will be unable to accommodate the people for the rest of the week. Mr. Oliver, the comedian, is certainly one funny little man and his every move was a genuine laugh. Tonight they play their big comedy success, "Home From College." The prices for this week are 10, 20 and 30 cents.

Judgment Awarded

Judgment for \$184.24 was awarded the Hampton Grocery company from Robert M. Blanchard, merchant of near Sciotoville, Thursday morning, in common pleas court, the defendant failing to appear.

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WOODMEN OF WORLD PLAN TO HOLD A BIG BANQUET

Beginning next Monday a warm membership campaign contest will be waged between the Portsmouth and New Boston Camps, Modern Woodmen of the World. Each camp will strive to secure new members to the number of one-fourth of its present membership which will mean about 50 new members for the New Boston camp and 100 for Portsmouth camp. The Camp which comes nearer to securing that number or over it will be declared the winner of the contest, and its members will be banquetted by the losers.

The contest will close about the middle of March. The contest will be in charge of Roy McElhenny, district manager of the W. O. W., who chose this time, just following the installation of the new officers, as the opportune time for inaugurating the contest. The new officers of New Boston camp will be installed Thursday evening, and the new officers of River City Camp, this city, at the regular meeting Friday evening. Announcement of the contest will be made to the members at these two meetings.

WILL ENFORCE CURFEW LAW

Mayor H. H. Kaps has decided upon the enforcement of the curfew but along somewhat different lines. Police officers claim that more chasing of boys does not have the desired effect for they will simply run from one corner to another. The mayor will bring the violations to the notice of the parents of offenders and if they show no disposition to act the parents themselves will be called upon the curfew.

The mayor said he had not yet taken up the matter of restoring the city fire alarm signal. He felt the old arrangement had certain good advantages.

are bequeathed to his widow during her lifetime. Upon her death the estate is to be divided equally among the four children, Henry R. Crabtree, Luther Crabtree, Mary Hilt and Behaba Abshad. Luther Crabtree, a son, was appointed as executor.

Leaves On Trip East

Franklin Vincent, one of the youngest traveling men in the city left Thursday for the East, where he will secure his shoe samples for his prospective trip through Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas and Oklahoma. Mr. Vincent has been quite successful and anticipates a splendid trip. He will be absent for a week or ten days.

Mrs. Al H. Bridwell of 1627 Sixth street, is very ill. She is threatened with pneumonia.

Mrs. Eliza Jackson, who is 66 and fractured her hip last week at her home on Sixth street, times in a serious condition.

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CAUTION—Order adult patterns by number of pattern, giving last measure for waist patterns, and waist measure for skirt patterns. For Misses and Children give number of pattern and age only.

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All choice models, silk lined and fur trimmed Coats in Poplins, Serge, Corduroy and Checks, former prices \$6.98 to \$25. Choice lot sale.

Not many, so 'twill be wise to come at once if interested.

Women's and Misses' and Children's Coats all cut to exactly half regular prices.

Greatest bargains ever offered in clean, new merchandise.

\$15.00 Coats \$7.50
\$7.50 Coats \$3.75
\$3.75 Coats \$1.88
\$2.00 Coats \$1.00

You can't afford to pass this wonderful opportunity. Come at once, bring the children. Remember no duplicating at these prices.

Women's and Children's Fur Sets all at exactly one-half price.

Women's Rain Coats, all sizes, 98c

Wool Sweaters

Misses' all wool Sweaters in white, red and navy (two styles), \$1.25 and \$1.50 values. Choice

Boys' all wool Sweaters in all shades and sizes, \$1.50 value

Children's Knit Wool Hoods, silk knit top, 50c value

Children's and Misses' wool Toggles in all shades. 50c values for only

One lot Toggles, slightly stock soiled, 25 and 50c values. Choice

Misses' Tam O'Shanter with silk tassels, in corduroy, plush, velvet, in all shades, 50 and 75c values. Choice

Boys' chinchilla and corduroy Rag Rag Hats, 50c value

Infants' fine knit wool Caps, 50c values

Women's Auto Caps, 25c values

Women's silk Auto Caps, 75c and 50c values

One lot of Women's Waists, values up to \$3.50. Choice

Women's Petticoats

Women's knit grey yarn Skirts 19c

Women's outing flannel Skirts, light and dark

Women's gingham Skirts for only

Women's seersucker Skirts, 50c value

Women's fine black satin Skirts \$1.00 and \$1.25 values

Women's fine silk finish Skirts, Klossit make, always \$1.00, all colors, for

Women's fleeced Dressing Sateens, dark patterns, 50c values, choice

Children's Rompers, the Little One brand, always 50c, in outing gingham, choice

Children's Bloomers in black and navy satin

Children's Bloomers in fast blue gingham, 25c values

Middy Blouses in navy serge twill 50c values

Children's and Misses' serge Dresses in plain blue and plaid combinations, all sizes, \$1 and \$1.25 values. Choice

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Farmers' choice bleached Muslin 6 1/2c only

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Yard wide best quality Percales, light and dark (everywhere 12 1/2c)

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Dress Gingham, hundreds of pieces, among them new Spring patterns, gingham that usually sell at 12 1/2 and 15c choice lot

Galatea Cloth, light and dark patterns, 18c value

Yard wide Silklines, choice assortment, per yard

21-inch Silk Foulards, light and dark, 30c values

Half Wool Serges, in all shades, for

50-inch Shepherd Checks for

Doublefold Dress Plaids for

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It will pay you to supply your next winter's needs. Can't be manufactured at such little prices.

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Men's heavy Lambsdown fleeced Shirts and Drawers, simply a matter of size, regular price 75c, sale price

Men's fine fleeced ribbed Shirts and Drawers, always 48c, choice

Men's grey wool Shirts and Drawers, medium and heavy weight, \$1.00 and \$1.25 values, choice

Men's fine fleeced ribbed Union Suits

Men's heavy fleeced Union Suits for

Men's grey wool ribbed Union Suits, \$1.98 value

Women's fleeced ribbed Vests and Pants, regular and extra sizes, choice

Women's fine bleached fleeced Union Suits in long sleeve, high and low necks, all sizes, choice

Boys' fleeced ribbed Union Suits 50c value

Misses' bleached fleeced Union Suits, 50c value

Infants' Wrappers, one lot cotton and wool, 25 and 50c values

HOSIERY

Many numbers at about one-half regular prices.

Men's Cotton Socks, all colors, 10c value, per pair

Men's Wool Socks, per pair

Women's fleeced lined Hose, 15c value

Women's Burson Hose

Women's ribbed list Hose, 25c value

Women's fine silk finish Hose, 25c value

Women's wool Hose, ribbed for

Misses' fleeced Hose, all sizes, for

Infants' Cashmere Hose, white and black, 15c value

GLOVES

Women's black cashmere Gloves per pair

Women's Knit Gloves, per pair

Men's Knit Gloves, per pair

Men's leather Gloves, fire and water proof, 75c values

Infants' Wool Mitts, white and colors

Men's and Women's taffeta Umbrellas, \$1.00 values

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21 Children Call Same Man Daddy---Count Them

Julia Katherine Rice, two days old; Hiram Rice, deceased; Malinda Rice, Amos and Sallie Rice, Pearl Rice, deceased; Harrison Rice, Moss, Rice, Virgie Rice, Ida Rice, Leonard Rice, Sammy Rice, Leonard Ransom Rice, Wayne Rice, Billy Rice, Charles Rice, deceased; Tillman Adkins, Jonah Adkins, Rosa Adkins, George Adkins, deceased, and Pearl Adkins.

Were Colonel Theodore Roosevelt to visit Portsmouth undoubtedly his first move would be to direct his footsteps to the modest little home at 1101 Mill street, which is presided over by Leonard Rice, a common laborer, who alone only in his fifty-fifth year proudly boasts that he has had twenty-one children to call him "daddy."

The latest born of which Rice is the father came Tuesday night, a handsome little girl who has already been christened Julia Katherine. The mother, Mrs. Winnie Jordan Adkins-Rice, is a licensed nurse-tender. She is Rice's third wife.

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first wife. She persisted in wanting to live among her own people with whom he was unable to get along satisfactorily and they mutually agreed to separate. Both remarried after they were divorced. He married Miss Angeline Ward, of Boyd county and seven children were born of this union: Pearl, now dead, Harrison, Moss, Virgie, Ida, now Mrs. Leonard Scott of Mill street, this city, Leonard and Sammy. The wife about fourteen years ago suffered a paralytic stroke after eating some worm ridden cabbage and died in five days, without having regained her speech.

Rice next married Mrs. Winnie Jordan Adkins, of Boyd county, the widow of James Adkins. Adkins had left her with five children. She followed the example of one of the previous wives and her first offspring by Rice was named Leonard after him though the name Ransom was added to distinguish him from Leonard No. 1. One of their children, Charles, died a few hours after birth. Those still living with them are Leonard Ransom, Wayne, Billy, Julia and three of the stepchildren, Jonah, Rosa and Pearl. One of the step children, George, was drowned at Catlettsburg ten years ago.

Most of Rice's children are grown and living in Kentucky and the Virginias. He said he could not begin to count his grand children, of whom there must be fifty or more. One daughter alone, Mrs. Malinda Neal, wife of Bud Neal, who lives between Ashland and Catlettsburg, is the mother of ten children, and his son Amos Rice, who lives in the mountains of Virginia, has a family of six children.

Rice feels as though the government should pension him and that if all fathers would follow his example there would be no need of talking national preparedness. He moved to Portsmouth with his interesting family from Eastern Kentucky exactly eight years ago.

Claims Dance With Visitor Began His Domestic Woes

Judge Thomas, who was called out of the city suddenly Thursday morning, delegated Judge Holcomb as commissioner to hear the evidence in the divorce case of Nettie Baisden against Arthur H. Baisden in common pleas court Thursday morning. The hearing lasted about two hours and Judge Holcomb will furnish the court with a resume of the evidence, together with a recommendation for his decision.

Mrs. Baisden brought suit against her husband on the grounds of extreme cruelty and gross neglect of duty. She testified that he had failed to provide for her, that he struck and abused her, that while intoxicated, he threatened her and her child by a former marriage with bodily harm, and that he associated with other women to humiliate and annoy her.

Baisden entered a general denial to her charges. He told the court that his marital troubles started soon after their marriage, when he dined with a lady who was a visitor at their home. He said his wife objected to him dancing with her and applied a vile epithet to him.

The Baisdens were married July 8, 1913, and resided in the north end. Mrs. Baisden's former husband, whose name was McGuire, was killed in an accident at the steel plant on January 29, 1912.

The attorneys were George W. Sheppard for plaintiff and H. Stanley McCall for the defendant.

Manhattan Shirt sale now on at Hall Bros., Masonic Temple. 6-11

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every false statement that cannot be proved by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

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The Movies

Frontier Days Vividly Depicted in Masterpicture "The Buzzard's Shadow", A Thrilling Enactment of Life in the Far West in Frontier Days A Gripping Production

Harold Lockwood and May Allison seen in new and interesting roles.

Army life at a frontier post before the shingling rails that mark man's conquest of the arid waste were laid, is vividly recalled in "The Buzzard's Shadow", a Masterpicture in five acts, produced by the American Film Company, Inc.

Aside from the red-blooded story revealed in this interesting play of days that still live in the memories of many men—and women, too—who participated in the stirring events of those days, "The Buzzard's Shadow" is of special interest due to the fact



that it presents Harold Lockwood, popular young dramatic star of the American studios, in a role

entirely new to him.

In this screen production Lockwood makes his debut as a portrayer of a frontier scout in the person of "Sergeant Barnes," also, Miss May Allison, as "Alice Corbett", is seen for the first time since becoming affiliated with the American studios, in the role of a Western character. Despite their newness to portrayals of these kinds, both attest their remarkable versatility by furnishing what many critics who have witnessed a screening of "The Buzzard's Shadow", declares to be the most forceful characterizations ever screened.

The production, from beginning to end, reveals in Western atmosphere and the life and dangers of the daring soldiers and immigrants who forsake all to gamble with chance in the new territory beyond the Missouri.

"The Buzzard's Shadow" will be shown at the Lyric theatre on Saturday of this week.

Three Good Pictures at the Columbia Tonight.

The program at the Columbia this evening is one of more than special interest and amusement. drama features Murdock MacQuarrie and Edna Payne, an inside story of a big moving from the Thanhouser studios, featuring Kathryn Adams and the famous Thanhouser twins.

"A Girl, a Guard and a Garret" and "The Book Agent," are two unusually funny comedies and Mr. Debraum will sing his first comedy song, "And She Lives Down in Our Alley," and making a program that cannot fail to please everybody, especially those who enjoy a good hearty laugh.

The Exhibit "Ransom's Folly"

The cast includes Marc McDermott, Babel Trunnelle, Marjorie Elison, Edward Earle, Joseph Bingham, Gladys Leslie, Joseph Stevens, James Harris, George A. Wright.

Washington, he tells his father that he must have a change, and a chance to see some excitement. General Ransom thereupon writes and arranges to have him go to Fort Station, Texas, an army post commanded by an old friend. Arrived at the railroad town nearest to the post, Ransom is conveyed to the post by stage coach. A prairie fire is in progress a few miles away from Fort Stanton, and Ransom joins the soldiers and others in fighting it.

The Arcana This popular theatre presents Thursday, "The Honor of Kenneth McGrath", an absorbing photo-drama. The story is as follows:

Howard McGrath is a Wall street broker with few scruples. His nephew, Kenneth McGrath, the son of a deceased brother, is in the hands of Howard McGrath, her guardian. Howard McGrath attempts a corner on the stock market and is tightly squeezed. In addition to this beautiful story, Mr. Potts has secured the recent Universal release, "Hearts That are Human", an interesting human nature photo-play. It will be well worth your time to drop in the Arcana today.

"The Flag of Fortune" at the Strand Tonight

"The Flag of Fortune", Fox's two-reel heart interest comedy drama features Murdock MacQuarrie and Edna Payne, an inside story of a big moving from the Thanhouser studios, featuring Kathryn Adams and the famous Thanhouser twins.

Fourth reel, our big comedy feature, "An Heiress for Two" is by the Nestor fun makers and it features Eddie Lyons, Len Moran, Harry Rattenberry, Jane Waller and Elsie Greenson.

5c At Temple Theatre

Tonight we have a sensational "Than-O-Play" feature in three parts entitled "The Valkyrie", a fairyland legend featuring the international star Baroness Von Dewsits, a play that you will long remember.

FIND PART OF DEPOT LOOT

Unable to get away with all the plunder they secured after robbing C. & O. depots in Siloam and Limeville, Ky., the unknown thieves were compelled to abandon a sack containing 100 pounds of fresh pork. It was found by a C. & O. workman in a pile of ties near the Siloam depot Thursday morning. It is presumed that the thieves were not able to get on a train and had to abandon some of the heavier articles they stole from the depots.

Auto Victim Says Ford Inconsistent

Lafayette Canyon, the printer who was struck by the Knost automobile Sunday afternoon, is improving but is still confined to his room. His system was severely shocked. He has no recollection of being struck. He remembers crossing Court street at Third and walking north on Court by the Hamarin building, and after that he recalls nothing until he found the crowd around him. In his retirement he finds time to philosophize, and take it from us "Vance" is some philosopher. He pays his respects to Henry Ford. He says it is all right for Mr. Ford to hire a ship and take a bunch of people to Europe and try to stop the war, but he thinks Henry is a little inconsistent, inasmuch as he turns out thousands of machines in this country that kill and maim many people.

night is entitled "Cupid Bents Father", a Beauty film production, a frustrated elopement proves a happy disappointment after all. Don't forget tonight "The Valkyrie."

POLICE NEWS

Mayor H. H. Kaps dispensed with the holding of police court Thursday morning, for the convenience of witnesses in the few cases that were on the docket. The night's arrests included

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OPEN AN ATTACK ON THE PRESIDENT'S MEXICAN POLICY

SAYS ALL GERMANY PRAYS FOR WAR'S END

Valentine Prestenbach, of No. 111 Madison street, is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. L. Roessinger, of Huelgsheim near Rastadt, Germany, a relative of a man with whom he learned the stone mason trade during his boyhood days in the Fatherland.

The writer tells of her first husband, Joseph Braun, dying six years ago of consumption, at the age of 31 years, leaving her with four children. His brother, Lorenz Braun and sister, Augusta, died of the same disease two

years ago. Three surviving brothers of her first husband are now all in the army. The youngest, Albert Braun, was taken prisoner during a recent battle and is now in a detention camp in England. The writer's second husband,

Leopold Roessinger, whom she married four years ago, is also in the army having been called to active service at the very beginning of the war. She writes pathetically of the hardship thus imposed upon her, left alone as she is

with her four youngsters by the former marriage, particularly now that foodstuffs, etc., are constantly advancing until poor people can now hardly afford to buy anything. Everybody, she writes, is praying for the war to end.

A MILLION MEN IN SIX YEARS AND HUGE RESERVE OF EQUIPMENT AND AMMUNITION IS ARMY PLAN

Washington, Jan. 6.—Secretary Garrison laid before the House Military Affairs committee today his formal argument in behalf of the administration's army plan which is designed to give the country a definite military policy. It proposes the creation of a mobile Federal force of more than a million men in six years, accumulation of a huge reserve of ammunition and equipment and elaborate extension of the coast defenses, the whole project involving an increased expense of \$600,000,000 and an annual War Department budget thereafter of more than \$200,000,000 as compared with an average of \$100,000,000 for the last few years.

"The integrity of the nation and its very existence," the secretary said, reading from a lengthy statement he had prepared, "may depend upon what is done in this matter at this time. This great opportunity will be lost unless a wise, sensible and practical policy is the result of the consideration and action of this congress."

Referring to the far-spread military responsibilities of the nation, reaching into the insular possessions, China, Alaska, and the Panama Canal Zone, Mr. Garrison added:

"We have determined and announced that the sovereignty of the other republics on this hemisphere shall remain inviolable, and must therefore at all times stand ready to make good our position in this connection."

He then quoted figures to show the full strength of the army on June 30 last—105,993 officers and men of the combatant forces, and their present distribution. To these should be added, he said, 1,183 officers and 17,818 men of the non-combatant arms of the service, bringing the total number of Federal troops up to 126,619. He pointed out that the item of pay alone made up approximately 50 per cent of the total proposed appropriations.

The United States including Alaska, said the secretary, is of greater area than the combined total of Austria-Hungary, Belgium, the British Isles, Bulgaria, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, Japan, Portugal, Russia in Europe, Spain and Turkey in Europe, the total of these areas representing only 97 per cent of that of the United States.

"It will of necessity," he added, "be conceded by any one who admits that military force is requisite at all that our present military force is totally inadequate to meet our responsibilities."

LAST DAY OF THE UNION REVIVAL PRAYER MEETINGS

<p>Friday, January 7, 1916.</p> <p>District A. James Jarvis, 433 5th St., rear; 2:00-2:30. Mrs. Cora Ray, 200 Jefferson; 2:00-2:30.</p> <p>District B. Rev. Jas. E. Diebert, 634 Fifth; 3:00-3:30.</p> <p>District C. Mrs. Dennison, 534 7th St.; 9:00-9:30.</p> <p>District D. Mrs. Frank Price, 814 2nd St.; 2:00-2:30.</p> <p>District E. Mrs. Thomas Brand, 820 8th St.; 2:00-2:30. Leader, Mrs. R. B. Cunningham.</p> <p>District F. Mrs. W. W. Donaldson, 1021 2nd St.; 2:00-2:30. Mrs. W. H. Doerr, 1112 4th St.; 2:00-2:30.</p>	<p>District G. Mrs. J. M. Stockholm, 805 Off-nere; 7:00-7:30. Mrs. Margaret Winter, 1128 8th St.; 7:00-7:30.</p> <p>District H. Mrs. Thomas Collis, 1120 14th St.; 2:00-2:30.</p> <p>District I. R. L. Roberts, 617 Off-nere; 9:30-10:00. T. B. Lawson, 1409 2nd St.; 9:30-10:00. Mrs. Gus McAbie, 1531 4th; 7:00-7:30.</p> <p>District J. Mrs. J. E. Tener, 1224 18th St.; 1:45-2:15.</p> <p>District K. Mrs. P. J. Coe, 1321 Lincoln; 2:00-2:30.</p> <p>District L. Mrs. W. D. Gilliland, 19th & Baird; 9:00-9:30.</p>	<p>District M. Mrs. Fred Ashley, 1625 Grand-view; 2:00-2:30. Mrs. A. C. Bennett, 1611 Mound; 2:00-2:30.</p> <p>District N. Mrs. Brown, 1401 McConnell; 9:30-10:00. Mrs. Parker, 1st, Hutchins & Clay; 7:00-7:30. Mrs. Pfarr, 1834 Vinton; 9:30-10:00.</p> <p>District O. Mrs. Hoover, 1104 Monroe; 2:00-2:30.</p> <p>District P. Mrs. Sidney Hart, 1666 Gallia; 7:00-7:30.</p> <p>District R. Mrs. Geo. Pressler, 1732 Highland; 9:30-10:00. Mrs. Dison, 1714 11th St.; 9:30-10:00.</p> <p>District S. Mrs. Alley, 2215 Robinson; 9:00-9:30.</p>
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Coughs And Bursts Ear Drum

Siezed with a violent spell of coughing, the result of the grip, Hobart Lawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lawson, of 3021 Gallia avenue, ruptured the drum in his left ear Wednesday and is in a serious condition at his home. Lawson is employed as a mail clerk in the offices of the Whitaker-Glessner Company.

MR. HOLMAN PRESIDENT

The Bloom Township Board of Education met on Monday, January fourth, and finished up the old business for last year. The two old members, L. H. Chadot and Theo.

READY TO PAY ALL CITY BILLS

All city bills are now ready to be paid any persons having money due them from the city should call at the auditor's office without delay in order that the treasurer may balance up his books.

BELLANS Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

In East Buying Goods Earl Pursell has gone to Boston to buy shoes for the Tracy Shoe company and to attend the Boston Shoe Congress now in session in that city.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their sympathy and aid during the sickness and death of our daughter and sister, Ethel Rice, Rev. Creamer's services and the floral tributes were deeply appreciated.

LEGAL NOTICE

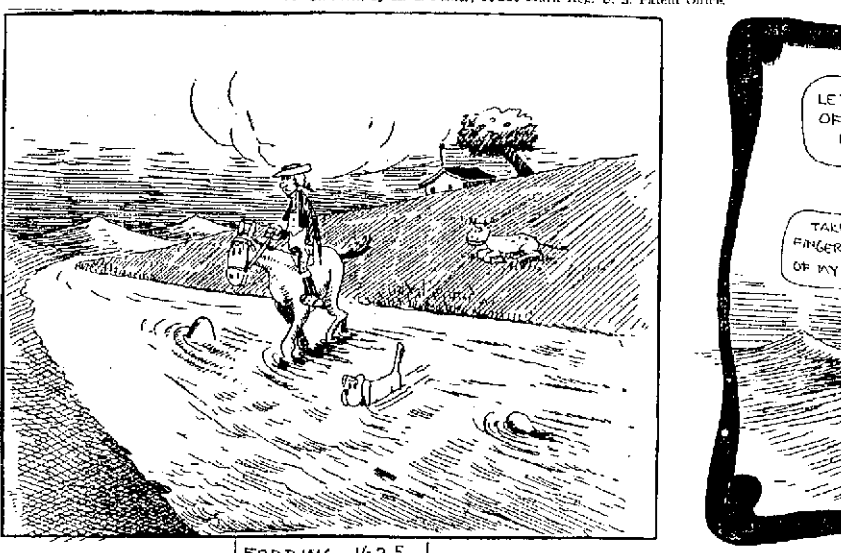
Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Clerk of the Township of Washington, Adams County, State of Ohio, until twelve o'clock, Noon, on Saturday, January 22nd, 1916, for the purchase of bonds of the said township in the aggregate sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1000.00), dated the 22nd day of January, 1916, two (2) in number and payable in two (2) and three (3) years respectively, from date, each being in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) and bearing interest at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum payable semi-annually, issued for the purpose of providing grounds for a cemetery and for enclosing and embellishing same and under the authority of Section 225 and 226 of the Ohio General Code and under and in accordance with a certain resolution of the said township entitled, "Resolution to issue bonds for the purpose of providing grounds for a cemetery and for enclosing and embellishing same." Said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for not less than par and accrued interest.

MUTT AND JEFF



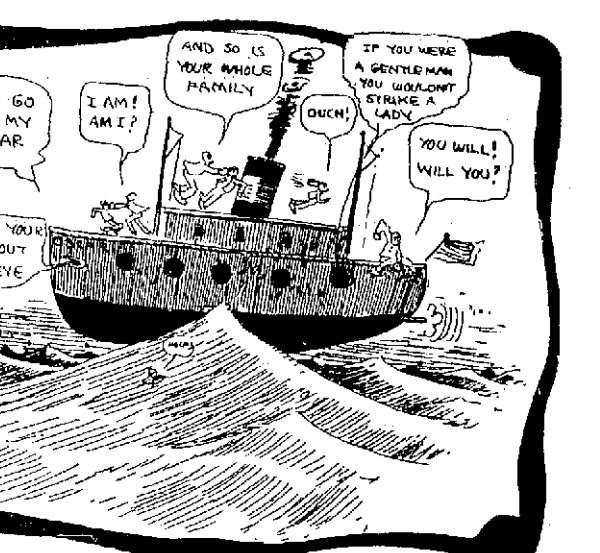
MR. A. MUTT, THE FAMOUS APOSTLE OF PEACE, WAS AT LUNCH WHEN SEEN BY OUR REPRESENTATIVE. HE SAID: "YES 'TIS TRUE, I HAVE JUST FINISHED A GREAT PEACE PAINTING WHICH I THINK WILL COP THE 'NOBLE PAISE PRIZE'."

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THE LATEST IN SPORTDOM

Giants Delightfully Entertained At Home Of Frank J. Baker, Important Victory Celebrated

The members of the Giant Killers, winners of the pennant in the Masonic Bowling League last year, felt pretty highly elated when the flag was awarded them as a result of their skill, but their feeling at that time was not compared to their elation Wednesday evening, when they were entertained at a most sumptuous oyster supper at the home of one of the members, Frank J. Baker, 735 Front street.

This feat was the result of the double-barrel victory achieved over the Ivory Knobs on Thursday, December 16. At the beginning of this historic contest, Mr. Baker promised the Giants a big feed if they would wallopp the Knobs, two out of three. For fear that Mr. Baker might experience a change of heart, the Giants proceeded to win the first two games right off the reel, and then visions of that supper so belated their vision that they lost the range of the head pin, and the Knobs won the consolation game.

True to Mr. Baker's promise, the supper was served last night, and it is needless to add that all present had a most delightful evening. It was an occasion that will ever be graciously remembered by the Giants and the guest of honor, President Dr. W. J. Keyes. The supper was fit for a king and most faultlessly served. Everything, from the menu cards to the table decorations, was in keeping with the spirit of the occasion. In the center of the long table was reposed Mr. Baker's favorite mineralite bowling ball. From aloft was floating the flag of victory, embroidered with words that brought joy to the heart of the Giants, and which would have meant the reverse for the Ivory Knobs, whose health was drunk at the very beginning of the most tempting supper.

The favors were miniature bowling balls, cut from brown curd board, duly punched, inscribed on which was the appetizing menu. It is needless to add that the Giants bowled averages of 300 when it came to assaulting the supper. Not a one but made a ten-strike every time it came

his time to perform. The menu follows:

"Submarine" Wine.
"Captain Sherry" Cocktail.
"Der Kaiser" Blue Point.
"Bald Eagle" Olives.
"Rickey" Brown Bread Sandwiches.
Oyster Stew, a la Play House.
"Keyes" Celery "Splits."
"Alley 2 and 3" Crackers.
"Giants' Escalloped Oysters.
"Foul" Hashed Brown Potatoes.
"Baker House" Rolls to "Spare."
"Lemon Head Pin" Pickles.
"Campbell" Pine-Apple Salad.
"Masonic" Mince Pie.
"Spider" Cigarettes.
"Bessie" Coffee.
"Ivory Knob" Cigars.

With the oyster supper completely out of the way, the guests repaired to secret seclusion, where plans were set for winning of this year's pennant. A scheme was mugged out, which is expected to give the Giants every game from now on, in which event there is little question but the Giants will repeat their achievement of 1914-15, when they forced every team to bow to their prowess, bringing to them the title of "Champions." At a late hour the players departed for their respective homes, after showering their host with all sorts of praise upon the magnificent entertainment provided for his teammates. Those present were Dr. W. J. Keyes, Edward Rickey, Dallas Lemon, Edward Campbell, Charles Daehler, Frank J. Baker and F. W. Sheridan.

Will Join White Sox

Chicago, Jan. 6.—George Moriarity, formerly of the Detroit baseball club, was signed today by the White Sox, the suffered an injury early last season and was unconditionally released by the Detroit team, with which he had played for several years. It is understood that he is to play third base.

Vitalite used on all enamel work by Brehmer, the Painter. 117

BOXER CARPENTIER WINS FAME IN WAR



Georges Carpentier.

FOLWELL IS CHOSEN

Philadelphia, Jan. 6.—Robert C. Folwell, coach of the Washington and Jefferson football squad for five years, was today selected as head coach for the University of Pennsylvania eleven for next season. His selection later was ratified by the board of directors of the Athletic Association.

Schedule For Indoor League

Following is the schedule of the River City Baseball League:
Jan. 6.—Wolff's vs. Glockner's; Irving Drew vs. Excelsior; Selby's vs. Norfolk and Western.
Jan. 13.—Wolff's vs. Irving Drew; N. and W. vs. Glockner's; Selby's vs. Excelsior.
Jan. 20.—Wolff's vs. Excelsior's; Selby's vs. Glockner's; N. and W. vs. Irving Drew.

Jan. 27.—Wolff's vs. Selby's; Irving Drew vs. Glockner's; Excelsior vs. N. and W.
Feb. 3.—Wolff's vs. N. and W.; Excelsior's vs. Glockner's; Selby's vs. Irving Drew.
Feb. 10.—Wolff's vs. Glockner's; Irving Drew vs. Excelsior; Selby's vs. N. and W.
Feb. 17.—Wolff's vs. Irving Drew;

Glockner's vs. N. and W.; Selby's vs. Excelsior.
Feb. 24.—Wolff's vs. Excelsior's; Selby's vs. Glockner's; N. and W. vs. Irving Drew.
Mar. 2.—Wolff's vs. Selby's; Glockner's vs. Irving Drew; Excelsior vs. N. and W.
Mar. 9.—Wolff's vs. N. and W.; Glockner's vs. Excelsior's; Irving Drew vs. Selby's.

BIG TEAMS BOOKED

Morgantown, W. Va., Jan. 6.—Manager W. C. Turley, of the West Virginia University football team announced last night that he had scheduled a game for next season with the Rutgers College eleven to be played at New Brunswick, N. J., November 11,

one week before Dartmouth is met at Hanover, N. H. It was also announced that Gettysburg College would be met here Nov. 4, and that negotiations for a game at Charleston, W. Va., with Virginia Polytechnic Institute will be closed.

COMMITTEE EXPERIMENTING IN SENDING POWDERED MILK TO GERMANY FOR BABIES



Putting can of powdered milk in package to be mailed to Germany.

To test the validity of Britain's interference with U. S. mails, a committee is to mail 150 five-pound cans of milk powder to Germany and Austria-Hungary for babies. The milk will be sent as first-class matter registered on the steamer Stockholm. The postage on each can is \$3.48, and each can of milk powder can be converted into twenty quarts of milk by the addition of hot water.

SLUGGING SUITOR STILL FREE

John Harvey, who slugged Steve Horsely a few days ago because the latter complained to the police about him courting his young stepdaughter, is still at large. Officers have vainly searched the city for him and he is believed to be in Kentucky.

Mr. Scott At Columbus

Passenger Agent R. E. Scott left Thursday for Columbus, being called there to take charge of the N. A. W. city ticket office in the Capital City. Agents Horton and Ryan, of that office, have been taken the train from Col. Grip.

George Ditty In City

George Ditty, assistant stationery manager or examiner, arrived in the city Wednesday evening and will pay relative and friends a short visit.

New Residents

Ralph Wall, who recently accepted employment in the plant of the Winchester-Reynolds company, has moved his family here from Cincinnati. They will reside on the Hill-top.

The Eskimo Baby.

The clothing of the Eskimo baby is often very scanty. In fact, one occasionally sees a baby being carried in its mother's hood with only a cotton shirt on, despite the fact that the thermometer registers 20 degrees below zero. The mother's hood is the baby's cradle. Being made of seal or deer skin, it is warm and wind proof. The infant also has the benefit of the heat of its mother's body and is out of harm's way. If it were laid in a basket or cradle in the tent it would be very much in the way and would always be in danger of falling a prey to the wolfish Eskimo dogs that prowl round the door by day and night, ever ready to pick up a dainty morsel.

Will Adjust Loss

The loss of L. F. Lemon & Company whose shoe and gents' furnishing store was badly damaged by fire last week will probably be adjusted before the week ends. The fire originated in the office in this store and smoke and water wrought havoc to it.

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TO MEET IN CHICAGO

The delegates to the annual meeting of the United States Golf Association at Chicago on January 11 will have the opportunity to vote the national Open Championship of 1916 to one of four clubs, three of which are situated in the middle-west. The clubs in the field for the open are: Kent Country Club of Grand Rapids, Mich.; Minikahda Club of Minneapolis, Minn.; Country Club of Detroit, Mich.; and the Englewood Country Club of Englewood, N. J.

Will Hold Tournament

Wisconsin tennis authorities have decided to stage a state championship tournament open only to players who are residents of that state. The state will be divided into sections and each club asked to hold a tournament to decide the club champion.

Tigers Get New Scout

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 6.—Jim McGuire, veteran catcher and scout and coach of the Tigers, has been released. He will go into business at Albion. Billy Sullivan will succeed him.

Bought A Buick

Harry Klingman, of Stockton, Cal., writes local friends that he has joined the ranks of the motorists, having recently purchased a Buick machine. Mr. Klingman is in charge of Sears and Roebuck's office in Stockton.

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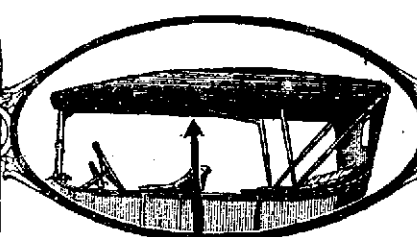
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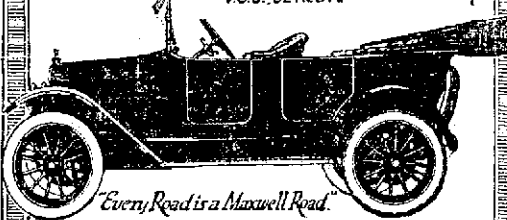
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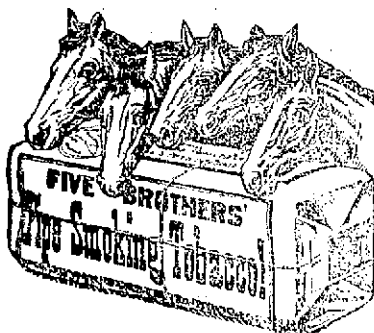
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LOCAL MINISTER IS FRIEND OF AMERICAN WHO IS REPORTED LOST ON LINER PERSIA

Rev. J. F. Olmstead, in charge of the Seventh Day Adventist congregation in this city, and who resides at 1214 Kendall avenue, was shocked when he read in The Times yesterday evening that Rev. Homer R. Salisbury is believed

to be among those who lost their lives on the liner Persia, sunk by a submarine in the Mediterranean.

Rev. Olmstead has known Rev. Salisbury for years and has visited him at his home. Rev. Salisbury is one of the

leading Seventh Day Adventists, and eleven years ago was in charge of the work in London, when Rev. and Mrs. Olmstead were on their way to South Africa. They stopped at the Salisbury home while in London and a sincere friendship between the two men dates from that time, they having met frequently.

Since then Rev. Salisbury has been given charge of the work in India, with headquarters in Lucknow. He had been in this country attending the Fall Council of the General Conference of the Seventh Day Adventists at Los Angeles, and was en route back to Lucknow.

Rev. Olmstead hopes that later reports will show his friend was among those rescued.

Mutes Take Marriage Vows

Squire A. J. Finney officiated at one of the most unusual weddings ever solemnized in the city Wednesday evening about 7:30 o'clock when he united in marriage Cecil D. Marple, and Tressie Coltrille, both deaf mutes,

of this city. The questions and answers included in the marriage ceremony had been typewritten on two sheets, one of which was handed to each of the contracting parties, who nodded their assent as the ques-

tions and answers were indicated by the officiating squire. A large number of the local deaf mute colony attended the ceremony and the Newlyweds were showered with congratulations after it was over.

CLEAR HEAD NECESSARY

A lineman's work requires better nerve and more physical endurance than the average vocation. To safely carry out the duties of one of these human flies while suspended high in the air with only a thin strap to hold them, a man must have a clear head.

E. L. Woods, an employee of the Central Union Telephone and Telegraph company tells an interesting story of how he was relieved of a sudden dizziness while at his work.

"My stomach was all wrong," explained Mr. Woods, "and it was getting such a hold on me that at times I would get such dizzy spells, even at the top of the highest poles, that I could not see the holes in the cross beams. I sure was becoming discouraged when a friend suggested that I try Tan-

lac. I did.

"Right now I want to put my O. K. on this great remedy. It fixed me up to a queen's taste. I haven't had one of those dizzy spells since I took my first dose. I recommend it to others that are affected with stomach troubles as I was."

To those who are in a run down, debilitated condition, have constant stomach derangement, liver, kidney and intestinal trouble, Tanlac has proven to be a wonder worker. By cleansing the blood of impurities it gives excellent results in instances of catarrh of the mucous membranes also.

Tanlac, the ideal constructive tonic can be obtained at the Fisher & Streich Pharmacy, Sixth and Chillicothe streets, and at Lucasville from Dr. K. H. Cox, and at New Boston from E. H. Coburn.

Portsmouth Liquor Dealers Are After Kentucky Trade

Referring to activity of Portsmouth wholesale liquor dealers in Kentucky trade in Maysville and Mason county, Kentucky, recently voted dry, the Maysville Bulletin says editorially:

"Those who do not think the Portsmouth, O., Cincinnati, and other big city liquor dealers, are coming after the trade of Maysville and Mason county, people are much mistaken. Uncle Sam's landy mail service is just now overburdened with circular let-

ters sent out by whisky houses in the Ohio valley cities named.

"To show the extent of this circularizing through the Maysville post office, we understand that 25,000 of such pieces of mail were handled at the local office Monday morning, the work of sorting and routing the circulars requiring so much time that the rural carriers were not able to start out on their routes in anything like the usual time. One carrier had so much of a burden that instead

of leaving the office at 11:30, the regular departing hour, he didn't get away until 12:45.

"Most all of this circularizing was done by two Portsmouth houses, and no doubt it will be followed up by subsequent mailings. Cincinnati and Dayton liquor dealers are getting into the game also which shows that those financially interested in a sharp lookout for the rich pickings they expect to derive from local option territory in Kentucky."

GERMAN B & L ELECT

At a meeting of the stockholders of the German Building and Loan Association held Wednesday evening, three directors were elected for a period of three years. They are George J. Schmidt, George Sommer and Harry Miller. The hollidover directors are Edgar F. Draper, Her-

man Huels, Charles J. Hauck, John W. Berndt, John C. Miller and Albert Graf. The association had a splendid year, its assets being increased about \$30,000. It was stated after the meeting. The usual semi-annual dividend at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, has been declared.

FENWICK REED'S CONVERTS "STICK"

One of the common faults to be found with most evangelists of the present day is that their converts do not stay.

People say they come into the church under the excitement and high pressure of the revival, and when the meetings are over and everybody goes back to the everyday life, too many of the converts go back to their usual customs. With Fenwick Reed, so say prominent ministers from South Bend, Indiana, and Denver, Colorado, where Rev. Reed has held meetings.

In every city in which Rev. Reed and his party have worked the ministers are unanimous in singing praises. From Ludlow, Ky., where

meetings were held, comes the statement by a Presbyterian minister that the most notable characteristic of the revival was the great number of influential men who accepted Christ, and in explaining, the minister said that Fenwick Reed was not dry or devoid of wit, but is free from unpleasant and cheap sensationalism. He is argumentative and uses the same tactics a brilliant lawyer does in pleading his just case before an honest jury.

It is not at all unusual to hear him spoken of as the equal of Billy Sunday, and many of his converts and ministers with whom he works, so far as to say he is even better than Sunday.

At any rate, Portsmouth people are anxious to do a little judging on their own account and are merely awaiting the opening of the Union Revivals, which begin at Trinity church Sunday. The meetings are being held under the united efforts of the four local Methodist churches and all meetings will be held in the great auditorium at Trinity. As is the case at most revivals, the chorus singing will be a big feature of every service.

Fanaglist Reed carries with him his own Gospel singer, Prof. Grant, whose singing ability is recognized very generally throughout the states. Rev. Reed's first sermon will be given Sunday morning, at 10:30.

RICKEY MAY BE SCOUT

According to a report published in Pittsburgh, there is a possibility of Branch Rickey acting as scout for the St. Louis Browns, which team he managed last year. It is said that Fielder H. Jones will manage the Browns next year.

Death Claims Famous Breeder

Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 6.—Samuel J. Fleming, 67, for many years a breeder and trainer of trotting horses, died here today, following an operation. Baroness Virginia, which a few years ago was a sensation as a three-year-old, winning the Kentucky futurity, the Western Horseman's and other big stakes, totalling more than \$20,000, was bred and owned by Mr. Fleming.

A. I. U. Will Meet Tonight

The American Insurance Union will meet in semi-monthly session tonight. Arrangements will be completed for a concert the Buckeye Orchestra will render in the near future under the auspices of the A. I. U.

Are Taking Inventory

The Anderson Bros. Company are taking their annual inventory, which is no small task by any means. E. C. Hood is directing the invoice taking.

Seek a position through TIMES WANT ADS. Employers of labor read them carefully.

THOMAS McLAUGHLIN APPOINTED TO SUCCEED CHAS. J. MILLER

Thomas McLaughlin has received official notice of his appointment of deputy supreme chief of the Tribe of Ben Hur, to succeed Charles J. Miller, who has been transferred to Canton, O.

Mr. McLaughlin's jurisdiction will extend over Scioto, Lawrence, Jackson and Ross counties. He has for some years past been scribe of Portsmouth court and his advancement has met with great favor among the members of the order. Mr. Miller's family is preparing to join him at his new location.

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, O., Jan. 6, 1916.
(76th Meridian Time.)

Place	High	Low	Change
Franklin	15 10.9 R	4.9	2.0
Greensboro	18 9.6 F	0.5	2.6
Pittsburgh	22 11.3 F	1.7	1.4
Dam No. 12	38 19.4 F	5.8	0.0
Zanesville	25 22.0 F	0.1	0.6
Farkersburg	36 30.4 F	1.8	2.6
Charleston	30 6.7 F	0.6	4.8
Pl Pleasant	39 35.9 F	0.0	3.0
Huntington	30 38.7 F	0.6	3.2
Cattlettsburg	50 41.5 R	0.5	3.2
Portsmouth	50 44.7 R	0.5	5.4
Cincinnati	50 46.4 F	0.9	0.8

H. C. DONNALLEY,
River Observer

FORECAST

Fair over upper Ohio valley tonight and Friday. Colder tonight. River will be about stationary tonight and fall slowly Friday.

THE "COME-BACK"

The "Come-back" man was really never down-and-out. His weakened condition because of over-work, lack of exercise, improper eating and living, demands stimulation to satisfy the cry for a health-giving appetite and the refreshing sleep essential to strength. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules, the National Remedy of Holland, will do the work. They are wonderful! Three of these capsules each day will put a man on his feet before he knows it, whether his trouble comes from uric acid poisoning, the kidneys, gravel or stone in the bladder, stomach derangement or other ailments that befall the overzealous American. Don't wait until you are entirely down-and-out, but take them today. Your druggist will gladly refund your money if they do not help you. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per box. Accept no substitutes. Look for the name GOLD MEDAL on every box. They are the pure, original, imported Haarlem Oil Capsules.

PRESERVATION OF "HOME" IS URGED IN RESOLUTION

At a recent meeting of Joseph Spencer Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, resolutions were passed protesting against the sale of the children's home property, and a copy of the resolutions was mailed to the county commissioners.

Special attention is called to the historical value of the Horse-Shoe Mound, which is included in the children's home property, and the ideal location of the property for public park purposes. The resolution in full is as follows:

Portsmouth, O., Jan. 5, 1916. To the Honorable Board of Scioto County Commissioners.

We, Thomas Watkins, Mr. Chas. Wesley and Mr. George Hill, respectfully:

At a meeting of Joseph Spencer Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution a resolution was passed endorsing the movement of Portsmouth citizens in protesting against the sale of the children's home property for other purposes.

The Horse-Shoe mound especially should be preserved for its historical interest. These mounds are the American Indians' graves, and are cared for as objects of education and history in many parts of the United States. Shall we permit citizens to be remiss in their duties to posterity and this important historical interest?

The Horse-Shoe Mound is the only mound within the corporate limits of this city, that was made by Indians. Our bill post sees rapidly becoming a considerable and this mound is a valuable protection of our grounds would add to the beauty of our city and prove a place as a city park for the present and future citizens of Portsmouth.

Mrs. Cornelia B. Treuthart, Regent.
Mrs. Agnes E. Roe, Secretary.

THREE ARE HELD IN MURDER CASE

Pittsburgh, Jan. 6.—The coroner's inquest into the death of Mrs. Caroline Viehmer, wealthy widow, who was murdered in her home north of here on December 12, today ordered Aaron Fell, who is her son-in-law, Joseph White and William McTure held for the grand jury on the charge of murder. White and McTure were held for the killing and Fell as an accessory before the act.

Mrs. Viehmer was a personal friend of Rev. and Mrs. Albert Marting of this city. Mr. Marting having been Mrs. Viehmer's pastor.

GIRLS TUMBLE OVER FENCE AND ONE OF THEM LOSES A TOOTH

While attending a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rickey at Stewartsville Miss Blanch Henry and Margaret Sutton had the misfortune to fall over the fence in front of the Rickeys home. Miss Henry escaped with a black eye, and a few minor bruises, while Miss Sutton sprained her ankle and knocked out a tooth.

All Women Need Beecham's Pills

They act gently on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, assisting and regulating these organs, and keeping them in a healthy condition. These famous pills are vegetable in composition—therefore, harmless, leave no disagreeable after-effects and are not habit-forming.

A box of Beecham's Pills in the house is a protection against the many annoying troubles caused by stomach ills, and lays the foundation for better health.

Eclipse Of Sun

There will be a total eclipse of the sun on February 2nd, and it will be visible over this section of the United States.

A Mother's Heart

is always bigger than her purse.

And at Christmas she fears to burden father yet longs to see each little one delighted with the gifts that "Santa Claus" has brought.

Christmas is a day of gifts—a season of generosity. Economy has its place, but it is out of its place on Christmas day—Then it brings only heartaches and resentment.

There is an easy way to make a small economy each week provide for generosity at Christmas.

You can help father and bring joy to yourself and youngsters by joining our Christmas Money Club. Different Classes accumulate from \$12.50 to \$100.00 and interest, all by small weekly payments you will never miss.

Call at the Bank and get a folder or we will be glad to explain the plan personally.

The First National Bank

Home of National Savings Department
Portsmouth, Ohio

Arthur Bannon To Speak At 1st Presbyterian Banquet

Kendall Avenue Prayer Meetings

The cottage prayer meetings at the Kendall Avenue Baptist church are being well attended and will continue this week. All who are interested in the work are urged to be present.

Meetings tonight will be with the following:
Mr. and Mrs. Vanddyke, 1210 1/2 Young street.
Mrs. Sigman, 2239 Gallia street.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard, 924 Oak street.
Mrs. Cattle, 2349 Eighth street.

Manhattan Shirts at Cut Prices.
Hall Bros., Masonic Temple. 6-12

Don't let another sun set with your WANT untold. Use the TIMES which reaches over 2,000 homes every day.

Don't Poison Baby.

Forty years ago almost every mother thought her child must have PAREGORIC or laudanum to make it sleep. These drugs will produce sleep, and a few drops too many will produce the SLEEP FROM WHICH THERE IS NO WAKING. Many are the children who have been killed or whose health has been ruined for life by paregoric, laudanum and morphine, each of which is a narcotic product of opium. Druggists are prohibited from selling either of the narcotics named to children at all, or to anybody without labelling them "poison." The definition of "narcotic" is: "A medicine which relieves pain and produces sleep, but which in poisonous doses produces stupor, coma, convulsions and death." The taste and smell of medicines containing opium are disguised, and sold under the names of "Drops," "Cordials," "Soothing Syrup," etc. You should not permit any medicine to be given to your children without your or your physician's knowledge of what it is composed. CASTORIA DOES NOT CONTAIN NARCOTICS, if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Tomorrow, Friday evening, good cheer will prevail among the men of the First Presbyterian church when they will gather for the annual banquet given to all men of the church by the men's classes of the bible school. One hundred and twenty-five men have signed cards of acceptance.

A fine chicken dinner will be served by the Women's Society of the church, after which a program of speeches and music will be given. The Aeolian Quartet composed of Messrs. Fred Long, W. D. Gilliland, Watson Oddard and Adam Burkel will sing several selections. Mr. Fred Klingman will sing a solo, and a violin solo will be given by Prof. Manastropoulos of the bible school orchestra.

Short three minute talks will be given by Mr. G. D. Scudder, Dr. S. D. Ruggles, Samuel Wise, G. F. Lash and Dr. W. D. Tremper.

As a special feature of the evening Mr. Arthur Bannon will tell of his hunting experiences on a recent trip after big game in Montana. Mr. Bannon has had many interesting and thrilling experiences in his many hunting trips and his stories have appeared frequently in the magazines. The men are very fortunate in securing him for this occasion.

These annual rallies of the men of this church have been great occasions in the past and everyone is looking forward to an exceptionally fine evening this year.

The supper will be served promptly at seven o'clock. Funds for the supper are provided by the men's classes and the banquet will be free to all men of the church and bible school and congregation.

Portsmouth Woman's Sister Dies In Agony From Burns

PREPAREDNESS CONSIDERED BY COMMITTEES

Washington, Jan. 6.—The question of national preparedness again today occupied the center of the stage in congressional committee activity.

Hearing on the administration's national defense program was begun today before the house military affairs committee with Secretary of War Garrison as the star witness and the house naval affairs committee continued its hearings on the annual naval appropriation bill.

Rear Admiral Stanford, chief of the navy's bureau of yards and docks, resumed his statement as to the needs of additional naval stations when the naval committee again took up the yards and docks section of the naval bill.

Seek a position through TIMES

ASSAULT FAILS

Bertin, Jan. 6.—(Via wireless to Sayville).—After prolonged artillery fire the Russians attacked again along the front in Galicia and Bukovina, but were nowhere able to break the Austrian lines, according to the statement by the Austro-Hungarian war office received here from Vienna.

An Easy Way To Get Fat and Be Strong

The trouble with most thin folks who wish to gain weight is that they insist on drugging their stomach or stuffing it with greasy foods; rubbing on useless "flesh creams," or following some foolish physical culture stunt, while the real cause of thinness goes untouched. You cannot get fat until your digestive tract assimilates the food you eat.

There is a preparation known to reliable druggists almost everywhere which seemingly embodies the missing elements needed by the digestive organs to help them convert food into rich, fat-laden blood. This modern treatment is called Sargol and has been termed the greatest of flesh-builders. Sargol aims through regenerative, re-constructive powers to coat the stomach and intestines to literally soak up the fattening elements of your food and pass them into the blood, where they are carried to the starved, broken-down cells and tissues of your body. You can readily picture what result this amazing transformation should produce as with increased weight the cheeks fill out, hollows about neck, shoulders and bust disappear and from 10 to 20 pounds of solid, healthy flesh is added to the body. Sargol is absolutely harmless, inexpensive, efficient. The Fisher & Streiff Pharmacy and other leading druggists of this vicinity have it and will refund your money if you are not satisfied, as per the guarantee found in every package.

NOTE:—Sargol is recommended only as a flesh builder and while excellent results in cases of nervous indigestion, etc., have been reported care should be taken about using it unless a gain of weight is desired.

PUT STOMACH IN FINE CONDITION

Says Indigestion Results from
an Excess of Hydrochloric
Acid.

Undigested food delayed in the stomach decays, or rather, ferments the same as food left in the open air, says a noted authority. He also tells us that indigestion is caused by Hyper-acidity, meaning, there is an excess of hydro-

chloride and in the stomach which prevents complete digestion and starts local fermentation. Thus everything eaten soon settles in the stomach much like garbage, soon in a can, forming acrid fluids and gases which inflame the stomach and cause a very belch. Then the food is heavy, lumpy and settles in the stomach. We belch up gas, we eructate sour air, or have heartburn, flatulence, water-brash or nausea. He tells us to lay aside all digested foods and instead, get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and at bedtime, while it is effective. If the bowels are not free, continue this for a week. While relief follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gastric mucus, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure, digested food. Jad Salts is a pure, digested food, is expensive and is sold from the acid of grapes and lemon juice combined with lithia and sodium phosphate. This harmless salts is used by thousands of people for stomach trouble.

CITY COUNCIL ORGANIZES; BEARS MAYOR'S ADDRESS, IMPROVEMENTS ADVOCATED

Presenting an entire new personnel, Portsmouth's city council convened Wednesday evening and effected an organization for its coming two years work. No legislative business of any kind was attempted at the opening session, members confining their maiden efforts to organization and familiarizing themselves with the procedure of council. Under the experienced coaching of the veteran Charles Wilson, councilman-at-large, who is the only member having had any previous council experience, the meeting moved along smoothly. The roster of council is:

John W. Flood, president.

E. P. Rickey, William M. Cramer and Charles W. Wilson, councilmen-at-large.

I. E. Roush, first ward.

Harold Rice, second ward.

George W. Vandervort, fourth ward.

In addition to Mayor Kaps, his two associates on the board of control were present, Messrs. B. K. S. Chinkenbeard, safety director and Ralph Calvert, service director. Other minor appointees were also present, Attorney Anselm Skelton, the new city solicitor, who succeeded Stanley McCall, administered the oath of office to the new members.

At the appointed hour council proceeded without interruption or delay.

John W. Flood, a well known East End druggist, elected vice mayor and president of council, occupied the chair. Charles Wilson was elected president pro tem and Louis A. Zucker, new city auditor, succeeded George L. Gableman, who so efficiently looked after the affairs of the clerkship duties during his tenure of office. Mr. Gableman attended the meeting and assisted the new clerk in his duties.

Appointment of the various committees and attention to the inaugural address of Mayor H. H. Kaps were the only other two transactions of the new council.

Committees presented by Mr. Wilson, following careful consideration, as he said, by a caucus of the council members were accepted as follows:

Finance—Messrs. Johnson, Vandervort and Wilson.

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Light and Water—Messrs. Vandervort, Roush and Rice.

Railroads, Telegraph, Etc.—Messrs. Johnson, Cramer and Roush.

Mayor Kaps' inaugural address to city council was brief and to the point. His recommendations consisted of endorsement of the extension of the flood wall, a recommendation for a sanitary sewer system for the hilltop, repairing of the reservoir, complete motorization of the fire department, improvement of facilities at the hospital, consisting of the addition of a third floor, a new elevator, a new sterilizing instrument and the addition of more private wards. Mr. Kaps also recommended the purchase by the city of property at the northwest corner of the new Scioto river bridge approach to be used in converting it into a more suitable approach.

The mayor also laid emphasis on the paving of alleys as a sanitary measure and also the improvement and extension of streets. Recommendation of extension of the city limits, the erection of a city workhouse and a plea for the co-operation of civic bodies and citizens in promoting the interests of the city were also contained in the mayor's message.

The message was accepted and filed and referred to the finance committee for distribution of the various recommendations to the respective responsible committees.

Before council adjourned Mr. Wilson invited Ex-Mayor Fred N. Tynes to address council. Mr. Tynes, however, stated that he was present merely as an interested spectator and not to deliver an address or make any suggestions. He stated that he was interested in the organization of the new city council, saying that the mayor had given the councilmen in his message a number of valuable recommendations and that if council accomplished only one half of the business the mayor called attention to it would be a commendable step toward a bigger and better city.

Mayor H. H. Kaps' message in detail follows:

Portsmouth, Ohio, Jan. 6th, 1916.

Mr. President and Gentlemen of the City Council:

In this, my inaugural address to your Honorable Body, I desire to be as brief as possible in calling your attention and asking your consideration in the more important matters that will come before this administration.

I advocate a continuance of the paving of all streets yet unpaved and more especially the paving of all alleys, which from a sanitary standpoint is most necessary.

Your immediate attention is called to the Flood Wall Extension project. The wall at the Point should be rebuilt at once and that part east of Chillicothe street completed with all reasonable haste. I think that steps should be taken to complete the entire work eastward to the high ground near the N. & W. Terminals.

I urge that your Honorable Body recommend the preparing of plans and estimates for a complete system of sanitary sewers for the hilltop section of our city.

As soon as the responsibility for the condition of the reservoir can be fully established, I suggest the repairs thereof with all possible haste. It may be practical to at once construct one or more partition walls in same to give our city a better water supply in the shortest time.

I will appreciate your early consideration of the complete motorization of our present fire department, including a motor car for the chief which should be purchased at once. I believe by so doing there will be considerable saving over the present system, not only in maintenance but in time, which in the case of fire is most important. I also call your attention to the condition of the Gallia street engine house and the hilltop house both of which are in need of a complete repairing, painting and papering.

I find that the hospital is in urgent need of at least eight more beds, bedding, etc. I am persuaded that inasmuch as plans are now under way to bring about the erection of a new and much larger hospital which will necessarily require several years to accomplish, I recommend that the present hospital be improved and enlarged by the addition of a third story in which should be located the operating room and ten additional private rooms. It is imperative that a much larger sterilizer be purchased and a new modern elevator be installed.

I would recommend that the city and county purchase the property located at the northwest corner of Second and Massie streets in order to make a suitable approach to our new county bridge.

I advocate the opening and improving of Seventeenth street from High street east to Mahert Road, also the improvement of Jackson street, at an early date. Would also suggest the sidewalking of all the improved streets and that The Street Railway Company make all necessary repairs to the streets of the city upon which their tracks are laid.

I desire to mention that the progress and growth of Portsmouth is noticeable to that degree, which in my judgment calls for your Honorable Body to consider the extension of the city limits both to the north and to the east of our present boundaries.

Also another matter that would be well to consider is the erection of a city workhouse, which I believe could be made self sustaining by the many local offenders together with those of surrounding towns and cities.

I believe the future of Portsmouth as one of the leading cities of Southern Ohio is assured, and that it is time that a comprehensive plan for continuous, permanent improvements, covering a series of years should be made, and to that end county, city and citizens generally should work hand in hand.

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Portsmouth, Ohio, Jan. 6th, 1916.

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I advocate a continuance of the paving of all streets yet unpaved and more especially the paving of all alleys, which from a sanitary standpoint is most necessary.

Your immediate attention is called to the Flood Wall Extension project. The wall at the Point should be rebuilt at once and that part east of Chillicothe street completed with all reasonable haste. I think that steps should be taken to complete the entire work eastward to the high ground near the N. & W. Terminals.

I urge that your Honorable Body recommend the preparing of plans and estimates for a complete system of sanitary sewers for the hilltop section of our city.

As soon as the responsibility for the condition of the reservoir can be fully established, I suggest the repairs thereof with all possible haste. It may be practical to at once construct one or more partition walls in same to give our city a better water supply in the shortest time.

I will appreciate your early consideration of the complete motorization of our present fire department, including a motor car for the chief which should be purchased at once. I believe by so doing there will be considerable saving over the present system, not only in maintenance but in time, which in the case of fire is most important. I also call your attention to the condition of the Gallia street engine house and the hilltop house both of which are in need of a complete repairing, painting and papering.

I find that the hospital is in urgent need of at least eight more beds, bedding, etc. I am persuaded that inasmuch as plans are now under way to bring about the erection of a new and much larger hospital which will necessarily require several years to accomplish, I recommend that the present hospital be improved and enlarged by the addition of a third story in which should be located the operating room and ten additional private rooms. It is imperative that a much larger sterilizer be purchased and a new modern elevator be installed.

I would recommend that the city and county purchase the property located at the northwest corner of Second and Massie streets in order to make a suitable approach to our new county bridge.

I advocate the opening and improving of Seventeenth street from High street east to Mahert Road, also the improvement of Jackson street, at an early date. Would also suggest the sidewalking of all the improved streets and that The Street Railway Company make all necessary repairs to the streets of the city upon which their tracks are laid.

I desire to mention that the progress and growth of Portsmouth is noticeable to that degree, which in my judgment calls for your Honorable Body to consider the extension of the city limits both to the north and to the east of our present boundaries.

Also another matter that would be well to consider is the erection of a city workhouse, which I believe could be made self sustaining by the many local offenders together with those of surrounding towns and cities.

I believe the future of Portsmouth as one of the leading cities of Southern Ohio is assured, and that it is time that a comprehensive plan for continuous, permanent improvements, covering a series of years should be made, and to that end county, city and citizens generally should work hand in hand.

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BREAK UP BRONCHIAL COUGHS, CROUP AND COLDS PROMPTLY

Make The Best Remedy at Home—128 Teaspoonful for 50 Cents

Don't neglect your first cold, cough or any Bronchial affection, this fall, but commence treatment immediately, and through using the proper medicine, it can be checked from the very start and promptly cured, but if neglected probably will hang on all winter, if it does not develop into something more serious, such as Pneumonia or Consumption. True, there are hundreds, yes thousands of cough remedies on the market. While some are good, there are many which are not, but are positively harmful, due to the narcotics which they contain. But why experiment with these different remedies purely on the strength perhaps of some testimonials or on the exaggerated claims of manufacturers, when Schiffmann's New Concentrated Expectorant is sold by Warster Bros. on such a positive guarantee to give perfect satisfaction, no yes even more—money will be refunded by them if it is not found the best remedy ever used in Severe Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough or Croup, and it will also be found excellent for Bronchial Asthma and Bronchitis. Besides these druggists guaranteeing "that it will be the best remedy ever used", it will likewise be found the most economical, because one bottle (50 cents' worth) makes a full pint (128 teaspoonful) of the most excellent medicine for any of the above affections, when mixed at home with one pint of granulated sugar and one-half pint of water. It makes as much, or more, than would cost you \$2.00 to \$3.00 of almost any of the ordinary ready-made kinds, sold in bottles holding only 24 to 32 teaspoonful. You will be the sole judge yourself, and under the same positive "Money Back" guarantee which the druggists make for the famous Asthmador. Absolutely no risk is run in buying this remedy.

NOT AFTER POLICE JOB

Portsmouth, Ohio, January 4th, 1916.

Editor Times:

Certain persons have circulated the report that I have been an applicant for a position on the police force of this city and that I intended to give up my present occupation. In order to correct this mistaken impression which some of my friends have been led to believe, I would like to announce through the columns of your valuable paper, that I am not an applicant for a position on the police force, but that I will continue to devote my sole time to the duties of merchant policeman, as I am now doing.

Thanking you in advance for your valuable space, I am,

Respectfully yours,

CLAS A. HANS.

EAGLES WILL INSTALL

Installation of the newly-elected officers will mark the regular weekly meeting of River City Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, this evening.

New officials, headed by Walter Schuyler, Worthy President, will succeed the present officials. W. O. Staiger is the retiring Worthy President, and his administration has been marked by much success. A social session will follow the meeting.

SALESMAN WAS AWAY, FIRE DESTROYS HOME

Fire in the home of John Jefferson, a two story frame structure located at Eighth and Brown streets, which was discovered at 7:35 Wednesday evening resulted in the Gallia street and Hilltop companies responding. It was incidentally the first call answered by the new fire chief George Koerner.

When the firemen reached the Jefferson home they found it in flames and it was practically destroyed. Very little of Mr. Jefferson's household effects were saved. It is believed the fire originated from a gas stove. Mr. Jefferson, who is a coal salesman, was not at home when the fire broke out.

The Hazlebeck company will insure you. 819 Gallia St.

SAYS CITY SHOULD BE PROUD OF PROGRESS

Rev. J. W. Mougey, of Amanda, O., a former principal of the local High School, is in the city, enroute home from attending the funeral of the late Samuel Seely Ferguson at South Webster. He was principal from 1887 until 1895, when he resigned to enter the ministry.

Rev. Mougey thinks Portsmouth should be proud of the way she has grown, and should be especially proud of her fine school and church buildings. When he was here the O. H. school was held in the old building on Gallia street, now absorbed by the Selby Shoe Company, and he finds it a little difficult to realize the school is now housed in such a magnificent place as the present High School building.

Rev. Mougey has many friends here and enjoyed running around town today. He said he was recognized by a number of his old pupils.

Hog Runs Amuck On Hilltop Lawns

Hill-Top residents sounded an "S. O. S." and frantically appealed for relief from a stray hog that was running amuck through their section, tearing up lawns, uprooting plants and raising "Old Ned" in general Thursday morning.

The porker first showed up along Robinson avenue, then began his excursion up the hill. He was chased from the yard of Patrick W. Kilcoyne, real estate man, of No. 1218 Grandview avenue, only to pay visits to the neighbors. A good-sized army was soon camping on his trail and Austin Denning, of Franklin avenue, finally, after much difficulty, succeeded in corralling the hog and took it to Henry Wedbrook's meat market at No. 1020 Clay street for safekeeping. The police were then notified and have since been busy trying to locate the owner.

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Ask my customers about my work, Brehmer, the Painter. 117

Special Sale of Ladies' Skirts!

Special lot of all wool serges and fancy novelties, \$5 to \$6 values, for \$3.08
Special lot of all wool poplins and gabardines and fancy novelties, \$8 and \$9 values, for \$6.25
All the latest models in chudah skirts, \$10 to \$12.50 values for \$8.25
Special lot of chudah skirts, \$11 to \$12.50 values, for \$3.89
Going fast are our suits and coats at greatly reduced prices.

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BUSINESS MEN INVITED TO BIG BANQUET TONIGHT

All members of the Business Men's Association are cordially urged to attend the smoker that will be given in the Masonic Temple building this (Thursday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

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AMERICA'S "WAR MILLIONAIRES"

War, for Europe, is meaning devastation and death; for America a bumper crop of new millionaires and a hectic hastening of prosperity revival. The coming of war orders has created more value, by five times, than the war orders themselves!

When the great war began, America had about 4100 millionaires. How many will it have when the war ends? Nobody knows, but if one is willing to count those who have been made "millionaires on paper" since the war began, whether from war orders direct or not, and estimate those who logically will become millionaires if the war continues two years more, there will be a crop of at least 500 more millionaires.

The making of 500 more millionaires is a mere detail compared with the psychological brace which war orders have put into a slack and snail-paced return of prosperity. It is as though an energetic doctor had pumped oxygen or a salt solution into a limp patient and turned him into a jumping jack.

Just what have been these famed war orders? Have they been wildly exaggerated? Stripped of all the color and excitement of pussy-footed confidential agents, rumor-spreaders, and stock-manipulators, the war "orders" placed in this country comprised, nevertheless, a gigantic industrial piece de resistance. A grand total of about two billion dollars in war orders of one kind and another is estimated to have been placed in this country. The DuPont powder firm and the Remington Arms people naturally secured a great slice of war orders. The DuPont firm, on excellent authority, has war orders totalling about \$320,000,000. It paid a 200 per cent dividend on October 1 last, sending the stock up to 750. Before the war it sold at 125. Stockholders of DuPont since 1912 cashed in, or could do so, at 593 per cent profit. In other words, a 100-shareholder if he chose could make \$93,000 profit!

The DuPont plant is really five plants in five newly-made cities—City Point, Hopewell, and DuPont City, all three situated on the James river, near Petersburg, Virginia; and Penn's Grove and Carney's Point, both on the New Jersey side of the Delaware river, opposite Wilmington.

There are in the Virginia manufacturing center alone about 210 factory buildings. The semi-monthly payroll is about \$900,000 at this group of factories alone, and some skilled workmen make from \$10 to \$20 per day. The gun-cotton manufacturing capacity of this group of factories is now about 920,000 pounds per day, and orders are in hand sufficient to run the plants for nearly a year. The Carney's Point smokeless-powder output daily is 730,000 pounds. The cost of making it is about 60 cents a pound; the war price received for it is about \$1.10—a daily profit on this one item alone, of \$365,000. This means over two million dollars profit weekly, which is at the rate of \$100,000,000 a year.

The magic and the tragedy of the drama of munitions-making at the DuPont mills are alike fascinating. Ten thousand men worked to produce the additions to the mills, erected within several months and now accommodating 20,000 extra workmen. A group of cornfields, worth at most \$15,000, were transformed in eight months into a full-fledged city with every convenience, populated by 29,000, and having an assessed valuation of about \$3,000,000, all this only to be burned to the ground in a few hours on December 9, with scenes comparable only to the lawless days of '49—men sitting on smoking ruins all night, rifle over knees; lynching of a marauder, quelling of riots by the pistol point and militia on duty. The mysterious warnings on posters, the explosion killing twenty-five or more, leaving only a crater to mark the spot—these are the external creakings of a mammoth mill of death, probably the largest ever reared up on the face of the earth.

With clock-like regularity, ton upon ton of powder and explosives in their heavy casings, grimly marked, are stacked and shunted to ship, or by rail to Canada (where, by the way, a major part of the ammunition is forwarded for loading in English and French bottoms). The Adriatic sailed early in December with 18,000 tons of various kinds of ammunition. Sailing from Wilmington, Russian steamers frequently carry 2,000,000 pounds of the death-dealing stuff in one bottom.—From "America's Business Boom," by J. George Frederick, in the American Review of Reviews for January, 1916.

The commissioners ought to have a pretty good idea by this time that the people do not want the Children's Home property cut up into lots, but they would approve any arrangement by which the land comes into control of the city for park or other purposes, while a suitable home is built for the children in the country. We have gone over the expressions of opinion carefully and the great majority seem to feel as indicated above.

That idea of compelling express companies to make deliveries within the entire corporate limits of the city should not be allowed to lapse. This is a matter of convenience and simple justice to those living outside the arbitrary zones established by the express companies, and the proper authorities should take action. The same holds good in regard to the delivery of telegrams.

The general revenue fund of the Ohio state treasury is just a little bit lower at the beginning of 1916 than it was a year ago when Governor James M. Cox retired from office, notwithstanding the gloomy predictions made a year and more ago by politicians and candidates ignorant of conditions. The general cash balance of the state today as shown by the figures given out by State Treasurer Archer is \$9,204,827.90. In addition to this there is a balance in the state insurance fund for workmen's compensation of \$2,933,670.09.

Some one perpetrated this on New Year's: "Don't you know this is Bryan's Day?" "How's that?" "Why it's '61'."

THE POPULAR MALADY



THEIR DEADLY TOLL

In 1914, the last year on which there are complete reports, near three thousand persons were killed by automobiles. Not all these were directly slain by automobiles, but their death was inseparably linked therewith.

And this is the frightful toll the nation pays for its reckless addition to speed and its spirit of utter carelessness. Many of the accidents were from mishaps, growing out of furious driving, an equal number, perhaps, the result of foolhardiness in crossing railway tracks. There were comparatively few that could not have been avoided by prudence and reasonable caution.

But bloody as the record is there is some encouraging thought in the fact, that the increase of accidents has not kept pace with the growing use of the automobile. In fact, the ratio shows a distinct gain for the better. In 1909 there were approximately 650 deaths through the automobile, in a certain territory, comprising the greater part of the country, and 200,000 automobiles in use; in same territory in 1914 there were 2,600 deaths, or a 400 percent increase; but the number of automobiles had mounted up to 1,700,000, or more than an 800 percent gain. Thus the death increase was only half that of the percentage of automobile gain. If we consider that the car is more frequently used now than it was several years back, that tens of thousands of cars are now run every day of the year, while the first practice was to store them for the winter, it will be seen that the chances of fatality through them have lessened still more.

This happy result has not been achieved through regulation, as there is precious little of that effective anywhere, but comes because the fever of speed born of their early advent is dying down. And it is no longer good form to search—it looks like you were new to a car, or were on a drunken joy ride. Five years from now when there will be near over three million cars in operation the number of deaths from them will be decreased both in percentage and numbers.

After all is said, it's hard to understand how a man who realizes that he is so peculiarly gifted as a hunter, faunal naturalist and explorer is willing to employ his time in presidential rainbow chasing.—Marion Star.

Island's report for 1915 shows there were 19,032 failures in this country, which was 13.4 larger than 1914. Liabilities in 1915 were \$283,192,629, which was a decrease of 20.7 per cent over 1914 and of 26 per cent as compared with 1908 and 1893. Failures were heaviest in the early months of the year and continued to show up alarmingly late until September from which month there was a large decline in volume and in the amount of liabilities.

NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY,
O-O-MEINTYRE.

New York, Jan. 6.—Winnie Sheehan, who was one of Charles Chaplin's star men on the Evening World, has illustrated to doubtless a journalistic career really is. He stepped from the World to the private secretaryship to Police Commissioner Waldo that was.

Now he has been made general manager of the William Fox film enterprises which is doing some spectacular stunts in the cinema world. Sheehan grouped about him in his new work newspaper men only. There is not a man in the organization who has not taken the abuse of some city editor.

That is all but Fox himself but as he has been buying pages of newspaper space all over the country he might with a push be considered in the journalistic lines. "The trouble with scribbles," says Mr. Sheehan, "is that they have no faith in their business ability. As a matter of fact they are such keen judges of men that in the business world is where they really shine."

Percy Hammond, dramatic critic of the Chicago Tribune, was in town this week to "Stop, Look and Listen," with Charles, the well known Dillingham. While here he also met Mary Pickford, the movie actress.

He called up the Chicago bureau of the Tribune on Park Row. "A thousand words for the Tribune," he said. "All right," said the operator, "when will you file your stuff?" "Here it is," was the reply. "Just say: 'I have met Mary Pickford' and repeat it one hundred and ninety times."

A great problem is confronting New Yorkers who frequent restaurants, that is to say, New Yorkers. The restaurateurs must figure out some high-faluting word for horse meat, which the Board of Health has suddenly

made a regular food. The word "horse" on the bill of fare will not do. As John W. Heath, a prominent hotel man, points out the word has a ring ill-adapted to connote succulence. The centuries have evolved from it "horse-man," "horsey" and such hyphenates as "horse-laugh" and "horse-play," all homely terms.

The new word must have a kick. Something more expressive even than poulet, morue perdriz, escargots and such like. It must sound like a combination of the Plaza, Ritz, Claridge, Majestic, Knickerbocker and Biltmore all rolled into one—but it must conceal the idea of horse.

The news comes from Europe to make Broadway smile that Dr. Frederick Cook, famed as a polar explorer, was scheduled to make a talk on the hardships of the North Pole regions in Germany. Quite a crowd had filled the hall, and the announcer said that Dr. Cook had quarreled with the hall managers because his dressing room was too cold.

As Tad would say: "See what the boys in the back igloo will have."

The Yellow Kid is dead at Blackwell's Island. He looked much like Outcault's original and, thirty years ago he was picked up, a wail, on the East river dump. He was a character of the Bowery and for years was the champion pie-eater who performed at the Grand Street theatre.

Nightly he would meet all comers and consume the most pies in the shortest time. He seemed never to tire of them and boasted that he had never had indigestion.

He did not know his real name. When he got out of an orphanage he was called the Yellow Kid on account of his color and that is the way he was registered at the Island. Once he fell in love—but only at a distance. He greatly admired a pretty woman on Fifth avenue and each evening for several months he would stand across from her home for a few hours to get a glimpse of her. The police learned his story when they told him to move on.



Warning Sybil of Low-Neck Season

Sybil, now the days grow colder. Shrewdly bites the evening air. Soon those furs about your shoulder.

You may cease to wear. Through the long hot days of summer.

Suagly wrapped has been your throat.

Soon, although it is a hummer, You may drop that sweater coat.

Winter seedily is nearing. Very shortly, Sybil, you On the streets may be appearing.

In a flimsy peek-a-boo. All that heavy garb you're wearing.

In the discard you may cast And your lovely neck be baring.

To the cold and wintry blast. Sybil, you should now begin to Shake the garb that warmly clings.

For we're coming to winter. When you'll need your summer things.

—Edgar A. Guest in Detroit Free Press.

Neutral

A Fourth street man who hasn't any use for hyphenated Americans says he is now sorry he named his boy Ed.

How About It, Harold?

Dear Doc Koko.—Why didn't Harold Reintner write all of James Whitcomb Riley's poem

entitled "Friendliness," in Monday night's paper?

A READER.

No Such Animal
"What do you think of a man who deceives his wife?"
"I think he's a wonder."

For Chewing Purposes, Evidently
Wanted—Large, clean white rags, brought to this office—Knoxville, Tenn., Journal and Tribune.

Subtle
She sat on the steps at eventide. Enjoying the balmy air. He came and asked, "May I sit by your side?" And she gave him a vacant stare.

—Widow.

Wanted Bath Without Rooms
A worn, dusty and bedraggled man marched courageously across the lobby to the desk of one of the exceedingly luxurious hostleries, here today. "What are your prices?" he inquired. "Room without a bath, \$3.50; with bath, \$4," the clerk rattled off. "Glibly the dusty and bedraggled man pondered. 'Well, please give me a bath without a room. And kindly see that a nice eiderdown pillow is placed in the tub. Also be especially sure that—' at this the clerk looked up. And the house detective closed the incident.—N. Y. Letter in Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Tool Chest Courtship
"It is 'plane that I love you," he began.

"Is that on the 'level'?" she asked.

"Haven't I always been on the 'square' with you?"

"But you have many 'vices,'" she remonstrated.

"Not a 'bit' of it," he asserted. "What made you 'brace' up?" she queried, coquettishly.

"The fact that I 'saw' you," he replied with a bow.

"I ought to 'hammer' you for that," she answered saucily.

"Come and sit by me on the 'bench,'" he urged.

"Suppose the other should 'file' in?" she murmured. "You shouldn't let your arms 'compass' me."

"I know a preacher who is a good 'joiner,'" he suggested, and they rushed out.—Building Age.

Speaking of Ads
Ad in a New York paper: "Wanted—Book keeper and salesman. Must have one leg shorter than the other."

We were about to telephone this opportunity to a friend when we suddenly remembered that what he had was one leg longer than the other.—Boston Transcript.

Her Suburbs Were Short
Ripples of laughter swept through a local school room this week when one of the pupils read a sentence that contained an unusual word in it.

The teacher had been giving the pupils a word to incorporate in a sentence each day and on this particular occasion he used the word suburb.

One of the pupils to whom the word had been given learned that suburb meant outskirts, so she proceeded bravely to include in it what she of course thought was a perfectly composed sentence. Her sentence follows: "My suburbs are shorter than my petticoat."

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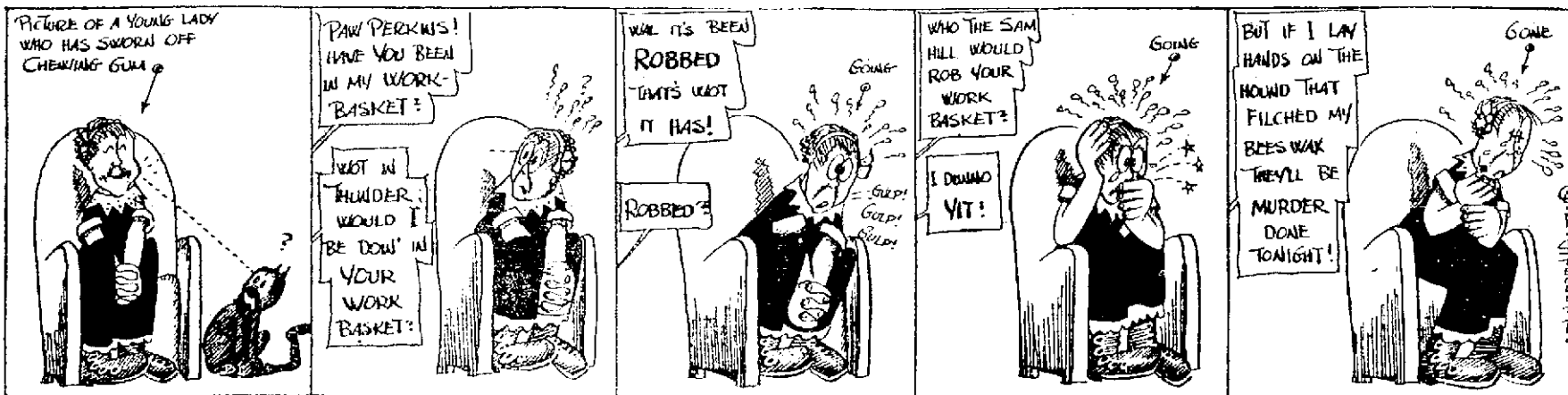
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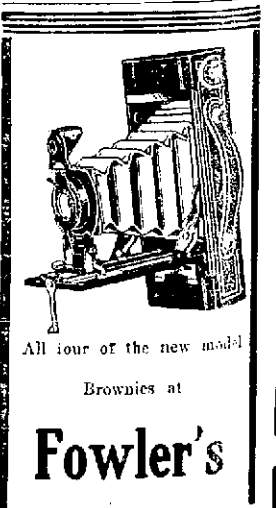
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OHIO RIVER STEAMER SINKS EIGHT LIVES REPORTED LOST

CAPTAIN AND 62 PASSENGERS AND CREW ARE SAFE

BULLETIN

Gallipolis, O., Jan. 6.—It was reported here today that eight lives were lost when the river packet Kanawha sank below Parkersburg, W. Va., last night. Those drowned were said to include Steward Lloyd Gee and Purser Bert Wolfe of this city, a watchman and five passengers, including four women and a child, the names of whom could not be learned here today. Government inspectors in this district were planning today to investigate the disaster.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Jan. 6.—The Pittsburgh and Charleston packet, Kanawha, struck a lock pier at Dam No. 19, in the Ohio river, nine miles below this city early last night and sank. Captain Brady M. Berry and 62 of the passengers and crew arrived in Parkersburg this morning. While the captain stated that he saw no one in the water, he felt that several might have lost their lives.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Jan. 6.—Captain Brady M. Berry, and 62 of the passengers and crew of the steamer Kanawha which sank in the Ohio river at Dam No. 19 last night arrived here early today on a special train sent out by the Baltimore and Ohio railroad company to pick up the survivors scattered along four miles of river front on the West Virginia side. Captain Berry said that while he saw no one in the water and did not know that any had been lost he felt there had been fatalities and was waiting for daylight to return to the scene of the disaster where a thorough search would be made on the West Virginia and Ohio shores of the river.

"We were moving swiftly down stream with the flood about 7:25 o'clock last night with a crew of about forty men and some 20 passengers on board," said Captain Berry. "The weather had been bad, but about that time, just as we were approaching the lower end of the lock wall on the West Virginia side, we were struck by a severe storm. Ordinarily a light shines out from the mast on the wall but last night there was no light there, and before we knew what was happening the Kanawha had struck the iron pier a little forward of the boilers and started to sink."

"I shouted for the boats and in a very few minutes the men were getting out the four life boats we had on board. The cries of the passengers aroused the men at the lock. They put out a yawl and came to our assistance. The lights had gone out within a minute after we struck and there was great confusion, but we managed to get the people on the hurricane deck and as the Kanawha turned on her side kept them moving toward the top while we were taking them off. The Kanawha continually turned and when we finally got the last man

ashore he was clinging to the bottom of the boat as she had turned completely over and was drifting down stream bottomside up.

"An hour or more elapsed from the time we struck until all were off and passengers and crew were constantly being landed on the river shore until survivors, shivering in the cold, were strung out through a distance of four miles. When I saw that all were off I shouted to the crew who had taken the last load away and they came back and got me.

"The twelve women were taken off first and then the men as we were able to move them. Some of the crew said that a boat had landed on the Ohio side but I don't know. "We lost all the books, including the passenger list and I don't know how many were on board. The boat will be a total loss, about \$30,000."

Captain Berry and the other survivors were taken care of here and will proceed to their destinations by train later in the day.

APPOINTED CLERK

Toledo, Jan. 6.—William P. Benz, Democrat, late yesterday afternoon was appointed clerk of Lucas county courts to succeed John P. Kelly, who died Monday night.

French Parliament And Country Are In One Accord

GRIP BUG HITS TOLEDO

Toledo, Jan. 6.—According to a report made to the chamber of commerce health board by physicians, approximately 25,000 Toledoans are afflicted with grip. Two deaths occurred in December.

Book a position through TIMES WANT ADS. Employers of labor read them carefully.

Paris, Jan. 6.—"Parliament and the country are of one accord," said Paul Deschanel, president of the French chamber of deputies today in an interview with a representative of the Associated Press. Speaking of the work of parliament during the past year M. Deschanel said: "The chamber has made a union of all Frenchmen. Some very lively debates have occurred and the enemy newspapers affect to see in them signs of discord, but the manoeuvre is a coarse one and the opinion of neutral countries should not be deceived by it. Free discussion is the essence of parliamentary regime. It does not always imply discord."

GREEK STEAMER IS ABANDONED

GROWING CARELESS

Columbus, Jan. 6.—Warnings that electric cars must not cease the practice of stopping at railway switch tracks and sending a man ahead to look for trains, were sent to managers of all electric interurban railways today by the State Public Utilities commission. The admonition was the outcome of numerous complaints which have been pouring into the commission's office for several months, charging that electric lines were growing careless at switch crossings.

WILSON TO ADDRESS DELEGATES

Washington, Jan. 6.—This was Pan-American Day at Mount Vernon. Practically every delegate to the Pan-American Scientific congress accepted the invitation to visit the home and tomb of Washington, the American in whose honor more statues have been erected in Latin-America, perhaps than any other. The attendance at different sectional meetings of the congress in the forenoon was almost up to the average, but the greatest interest was shown in the excursion, not only by the delegates by the visiting women and others. The chief point of interest today, was the address of President Wilson and the program for tonight. The demand for seats has been so great that instead of in the Pan-American building the president will speak in the larger hall of the daughters of the American revolution building.

CREW AND PASSENGERS ARE SAFE

New York, Jan. 6.—Passengers and crew of the Greek steamer Thessaloniki are on their way to this port today having abandoned the disabled liner and left her, it is believed in a sinking condition more than 300 miles southeast of Sandy Hook. The 300 passengers are on board the Greek steamer Patris while the crew found refuge on the Anchor liner Perugia, bound from Genoa and Gibraltar to New York.

Confirmation of earlier reports that the Patris had taken off the Thessaloniki's passengers last Saturday morning was received in a wireless message from the captain of the Patris early today in which he told of the efforts of the Patris to tow the Thessaloniki to port, of the breaking of the towing lines and a subsequent search for her in snow and fog when the Thessaloniki again asked for assistance.

No direct news from the Perugia had been received by wireless early today but announcement of the transfer of the Thessaloniki's crew to the Perugia was contained in a radio message received from the steamer United States last night. The United States had been searching for the Thessaloniki for a day or more but abandoned the search and continued her voyage after receiving word that the crew was safe.

SUB QUESTION TO BE PROBED BY FOREIGN RELATION COMMITTEE

Washington, Jan. 6.—The general international situation including the crisis in the relations between the United States and the central powers over submarine warfare will be considered tomorrow by the senate foreign

relations committee. The meeting has been called by Chairman Stone. The committee had before it today a mass of data bearing upon Great Britain's attitude toward neutral shipping and negotiations

with Germany over submarine warfare. The information was sent by Secretary Lansing in response to a senate resolution. All available data on the destruction of the British steamer Persia also was said to be before the committee.

Call On National Banks

Washington, Jan. 6.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call to all national banks, requiring them to report to him their condition at the close of business on Friday, December 31.

Columbus, Jan. 6.—Harry T. Hall, state superintendent of banks, today issued a call for state bank reports at the close of business on December 31, the same date fixed in the National bank call.

ISSUE REQUISITION

Columbus, Jan. 6.—The governor's office today issued a requisition on the governor of Michigan for the return of Harry Kuchmen, wanted in Cincinnati, charged with forging a check for \$131 last April 27, in the name of the John C. Weber company. He is under arrest at Detroit.

FAIL TO BREAK AUSTRIAN LINES

RUSSIAN ATTACK WITHSTOOD

Berlin, Jan. 6.—(Via wireless to Sayville)—After prolonged artillery fire the Russians attacked again along the front in Galicia and Bukovina, but were nowhere able to break the Austrian lines, according to the statement by the Austro-Hungarian war office received here from Vienna.

Married Women May Teach School

Washington, Jan. 6.—Washington women school teachers were jubilant today over a decision of the supreme court of the District of Columbia holding that they may marry and still retain their positions.

The decision was in the case of Mrs. Gladys Aline Strong Bellman, who was granted a writ of mandamus compelling the board

of education to reinstate her as a teacher which position she was forced to vacate following her marriage June 15, 1915. Mrs. Bellman in mandamus proceedings attacked the rule on the ground that it was unreasonable and in conflict with law. The court set aside the regulation as unfair and discriminatory.

ROOSEVELT GOING TO WEST INDIES

New York, Jan. 6.—Announcement that Colonel Roosevelt will start February fifteen on a trip to the West Indies from which he

will not return until April 1, was made today. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt. Colonel Roosevelt will speak in Philadelphia before the National Americanization Convention Jan. 20, but has cancelled his speaking engagement in Chicago before the Illinois Progressives Feb. 12.

Columbus, Jan. 6.—Dr. Richard F. O'Connell, aged 48, for six years a practicing physician in Columbus, died last night at his home here after a week's illness. Dr. O'Connell was superintendent of the Gallipolis hospital for epileptics for several years. He is survived by his widow and one son, Richard.

CLOTHIERS WANT DYES SHIPPED TO UNITED STATES

New York, Jan. 6.—The National Association of Clothiers will appeal to Secretary of State Lansing for assistance in an effort to persuade Germany and Great Britain to allow dyes to be shipped from Germany to this country. The president of the association was authorized at the meeting of the body to appoint a committee to call on Mr. Lansing and if advisable to seek the aid of President Wilson.

UNDER ARREST

Chicago, Jan. 6.—Edward Taylor, one of the twenty men recently indicted in Toledo, Ohio, for an alleged horse race swindle, is under arrest here today. Taylor is alleged to be a member of a band of swindlers who advertised extensively in newspapers in Michigan, Ohio and Indiana for farm land and then influenced their victims to wager on a "fixed" race.

Every day that THE TIMES is published, builders list their bargains on TIMES WANT AD page.

BULGARS VOTE WAR CREDIT

London, Jan. 6.—A war credit of \$100,000,000 was enthusiastically approved by the Bulgarian parliament, says a despatch to the Times from Saloniki. All sections of the opposition voted with the government.

WEATHER

Ohio—Fair tonight. Colder in southeast portions. Friday fair and slightly warmer.

THE LATEST IN SPORTDOM

Giants Delightfully Entertained At Home Of Frank J. Baker, Important Victory Celebrated

The members of the Giant Killers, winners of the pennant in the Masonic Bowling League last year, felt pretty highly elated when the flag was awarded them as a result of their skill, but their feeling at that time was not compared to their elations Wednesday evening, when they were entertained at a most sumptuous oyster supper at the home of one of the members, Frank J. Baker, 735 Front street.

This feat was the result of the double-barrel victory achieved over the Ivory Knobs on Thursday, December 18. At the beginning of this historic contest, Mr. Baker promised the Giants a big feed if they would wallopp the Knobs, two out of three. For fear that Mr. Baker might experience a change of heart, the Giants proceeded to win the first two games right off the reel, and then visions of that supper so beclouded their vision that they lost the range of the head pin, and the Knobs won the consolation game.

True to Mr. Baker's promise, the supper was served last night, and it is needless to add that all present had a most delightful evening. It was an occasion that will ever be graciously remembered by the Giants and the guest of honor, President Dr. W. J. Keyes. The supper was fit for a king and most faultlessly served. Everything, from the menu cards to the table decorations, was in keeping with the spirit of the occasion. In the center of the long table was reposed Mr. Baker's favorite miniature bowling ball. From aloft was floating the flag of victory, encircled with words that brought joy to the heart of the Giants, and which would have meant the reverse for the Ivory Knobs, whose health was drank at the very beginning of the most tempting supper.

The favors were miniature bowling balls, cut from brown card board, duly purchased, inscribed on which was the appetizing menu. It is needless to add that the Giants bowled averages of 300 when it came to assaulting the supper. Not a one but made a ten-strike every time it came

this time to perform. The menu follows:

"Submarine" Wine.
"Captain Sherry" Cocktail.
"Der Kaiser" Blue Point.
"Bald Eagle" Olives.
"Ricker" Brown Bread Sandwiches.
Oyster Stew, a la Play House.
"Keyes" Celery "Spits."
"Alley 2 and 3" Crackers.
"Giant's Escalloped Oysters."
"Foul" Hashed Brown Potatoes.
"Baker House" Rolls to "Spare."
"Lemon Head Pin" Pickles.
"Campbell" Pine-Apple Salad.
"Masenic" Mince Pie.
"Spider" Cigarettes.
"Tressall" Coffee.
"Ivory Knobs" Cigars.

With the oyster supper completely out of the way, the guests repaired to secret seclusion, where plans were set for winning of this year's pennant. A scheme was mapped out, which is expected to give the Giants every game from now on, in which event there is little question but the Giants will repeat their achievement of 1914-15, when they forced every team to bow to their prowess, bringing to them the title of "Champions." At a late hour the players departed for their respective homes, after showering their lust with all sorts of praise upon the magnificent entertainment provided for his teammates. Those present were Dr. W. J. Keyes, Edward Ricker, Dallas Lemon, Edward Campbell, Charles Daehler, Frank J. Baker and E. W. Sheridan.

Will Join White Sox

Chicago, Jan. 6.—George Moriarty, formerly of the Detroit baseball club, was signed today by the White Sox. He suffered an injury early last season and was unconditionally released by the Detroit team, with which he had played for several years. It is understood that he is to play third base.

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BOXER CARPENTIER WINS FAME IN WAR



Georges Carpentier.

FOLWELL IS CHOSEN

Philadelphia, Jan. 6.—Robert C. Folwell, coach of the Washington and Jefferson football squad for five years, was today selected as head coach for the University of Pennsylvania eleven for next season. His selection later was ratified by the board of directors of the Athletic Association.

Schedule For Indoor League

Following is the schedule of the Silver City Baseball League:

Jan. 6—Wolff's vs. Glockner's; Irving Drew vs. Glockner's; Selby's vs. Norfolk and Western.
Jan. 13—Wolff's vs. Irving Drew; N. and W. vs. Glockner's; Selby's vs. Excelsior.
Jan. 20—Wolff's vs. Excelsior's; Selby's vs. Glockner's; N. and W. vs. Irving Drew.

Jan. 27—Wolff's vs. Selby's; Irving Drew vs. Glockner's; Excelsior vs. N. and W.
Feb. 3—Wolff's vs. N. and W.; Excelsior's vs. Glockner's; Selby's vs. Irving Drew.
Feb. 10—Wolff's vs. Glockner's; Irving Drew vs. Excelsior; Selby's vs. N. and W.
Feb. 17—Wolff's vs. Irving Drew;

Glockner's vs. N. and W.; Selby's vs. Excelsior.
Feb. 24—Wolff's vs. Excelsior's; Selby's vs. Glockner's; N. and W. vs. Irving Drew.
Mar. 2—Wolff's vs. Selby's; Glockner's vs. Irving Drew; Excelsior vs. N. and W.
Mar. 9—Wolff's vs. N. and W.; Glockner's vs. Excelsior's; Irving Drew vs. Selby's.

BIG TEAMS BOOKED

Morgantown, W. Va., Jan. 6.—Manager W. C. Turley, of the West Virginia University football team announced last night that he had scheduled a game for next season with the Rutgers College eleven to be played at Brunswick, N. J., November 11,

one week before Dartmouth is met at Hanover, N. H. It was also announced that Gettysburg College would be met here Nov. 4, and that negotiations for a game at Charleston, W. Va., with Virginia Polytechnic Institute will be closed.

COMMITTEE EXPERIMENTING IN SENDING POWDERED MILK TO GERMANY FOR BABIES



Putting can of powdered milk in package to be mailed to Germany.

To test the validity of Britain's interference with U. S. mails, a committee is to mail 150 five-pound cans of milk powder to Germany and Austria-Hungary for babies. The milk will be sent as first-class matter registered on the steamer Stockholm. The postage on each can is \$3.48, and each can of milk powder can be converted into twenty quarts of milk by the addition of hot water.

SLUGGING SUITOR STILL FREE

John Harvey, who slugged Steve Horsely a few days ago because the latter complained to the police about him courting his young stepdaughter, is still at large. Officers have vainly searched the city for him and he is believed to be in Kentucky.

Mr. Scott At Columbus

Passenger Agent R. E. Scott left Thursday for Columbus, being called there to take charge of the N. & W. city ticket office in the Capital City. Agents Horton and Ryan, of that office, have been taken the courier from Col. Grip.

George Ditty In City

George Ditty, well-known stationary engineer or sculptor, arrived in the city Wednesday evening and will pay relatives and friends a short visit.

New Residents

Edith Wall, who recently accepted employment in the plant of the Walbridge-Glessner company, has moved his family here from Cincinnati. They will reside on the Hill.

The Eskimo Baby

The clothing of the Eskimo baby is often very sturdy. In fact, one occasionally sees a baby being carried in its mother's hood with only a cotton shirt on, despite the fact that the thermometer registers 25 degrees below zero. The mother's hood is the baby's mantle. Being made of seal or deer skin, it is warm and wind proof. The infant also has the benefit of the heat of the mother's body and is out of harm's way. If it were laid in a basket cradle in the tent it would be very much in the way and would always be in danger of falling a prey to the wretched Eskimo dogs that prowled round the door by day and night, ever ready to pick up a chubby morsel.

Will Adjust Loss

The loss of L. F. Lemon & Company whose shoe and gents' furnishing store was badly damaged by fire last week will probably be adjusted before the week ends. The fire originated in the office in this store and smoke and water wrought havoc to it.

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The delegates to the annual meeting of the United States Golf Association at Chicago on January 14 will have the opportunity to vote the annual Open Championship of 1916 to one of four clubs, three of which are situated in the middle-west. The clubs in the field for the open are: Kent Country Club of Grand Rapids, Mich.; Minikahda Club of Minneapolis, Minn.; Country Club of Detroit, Mich.; and the Englewood Country Club of Englewood, N. J.

Will Hold Tournament

Wisconsin tennis authorities have decided to stage a state championship tournament open only to players who are residents of that state. The state will be divided into sections and each club asked to hold a tournament to decide the club championship.

Tigers Get New Scout

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 6.—Jim McGuire, veteran catcher and scout and coach of the Tigers, has been released. He will go into business at Adrian. Billy Sullivan will succeed him.

Bought A Buick

Harry Klingman, of Stockton, Cal., writes local friends that he has joined the ranks of the motorists, having recently purchased a Buick machine. Mr. Klingman is in charge of Sears and Roebuck's office in Stockton.

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To meet the need for such a daily treatment and to enable everyone to take the necessary precautions against this disease, a prominent dentist has put his own prescription before the public in the convenient form of Senreco Tooth Paste.

Senreco contains the best corrective and preventive for pyorrhea known to dental science. Used daily it will successfully protect your teeth from this disease. Senreco also contains the best harmless agent for keeping the teeth clean and white. It has a refreshing flavor and leaves a wholesomely clean, cool and pleasant taste in the mouth.

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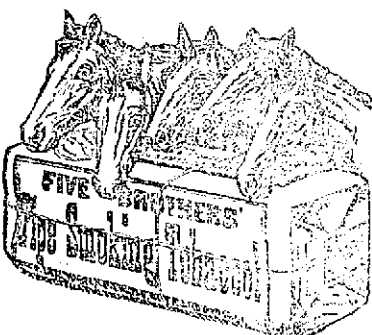
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AMERICA'S "WAR MILLIONAIRES"

War, for Europe, is meaning devastation and death; for America a bumper crop of new millionaires and a hectic hastening of prosperity revival. The coming of war orders has created more value, by five times, than the war orders themselves!

When the great war began, America had about 4100 millionaires. How many will it have when the war ends? Nobody knows—but if one is willing to count those who have been made "millionaires on paper" since the war began, whether from war orders direct or not, and estimate those who logically will become millionaires if the war continues two years more, there will be a crop of at least 500 more millionaires.

The making of 500 more millionaires is a mere detail compared with the psychological brace which war orders have put into a slack and snail-paced return of prosperity. It is as though an energetic doctor had pumped oxygen or a salt solution into a limp patient and turned him into a jumping jack.

Just what have been these famed war orders? Have they been wildly exaggerated? Stripped of all the color and excitement of pussy-footed confidential agents, rumor-spreaders, and stock-manipulators, the war "orders" placed in this country comprised, nevertheless, a gigantic industrial piece de resistance. A grand total of about two billion dollars in war orders of one kind and another is estimated to have been placed in this country. The DuPont powder firm and the Remington Arms people naturally secured a great slice of war orders. The DuPont firm, on excellent authority, has war orders totalling about \$320,000,000. It paid a 200 per cent dividend on October 1 last, sending the stock up to 750. Before the war it sold at 120. Stockholders of DuPont since 1912 cashed in, or could do so, at 503 per cent profit. In other words, a 100-shareholder if he chose could make \$93,000 profit!

The DuPont plant is really five plants in five newly-made cities—City Point, Hopewell, and DuPont City, all three situated on the James river, near Petersburg, Virginia; and Penn's Grove and Carver's Point, both on the New Jersey side of the Delaware river, opposite Wilmington.

There are in the Virginia manufacturing center alone about 310 factory buildings. The semi-monthly payroll is about \$100,000 at this group of factories alone, and some skilled workmen make from \$10 to \$20 per day. The gun-cotton manufacturing capacity of this group of factories is now about 920,000 pounds per day, and orders are in hand sufficient to run the plants for nearly a year. The Carver's Point smokeless-powder output daily is 730,000 pounds. The cost of making it is about 50 cents a pound; the war price received for it is about \$1.10—a daily profit on this one item alone of \$365,000. This means over two million dollars profit weekly, which is at the rate of \$100,000,000 a year.

The magic and the tragedy of the drama of munitions-making at the DuPont mills are alike fascinating. Ten thousand men worked to produce the additions to the mills, erected within several months and now accommodating 20,000 extra workmen. A group of cornfields, worth at most \$15,000, were transformed in eight months into a full-fledged city with every convenience, populated by 29,000, and having an assessed valuation of about \$3,000,000, all this only to be burned to the ground in a few hours on December 9, with scenes comparable only to the lawless days of '49—men sitting on smoking ruins all night; rifle over knee; lynching of a murderer; quelling of riots by the pistol point and militia on duty. The mysterious warnings on posters, the explosion killing twenty-five or more, leaving only a crater to mark the spot—these are the external crackings of a mammoth mill of death, probably the largest ever reared up on the face of the earth.

With clock-like regularity, ton upon ton of powder and explosives in their heavy casks, grimly marked, are stacked and shunted to ship, or by rail to Canada (where, by the way, a major part of the ammunition is forwarded for loading in English and French bottoms). The Adriatic sailed early in December with 18,000 tons of various kinds of ammunition. Sailing from Wilmington, Russian steamers frequently carry 2,000,000 pounds of the death-dealing stuff in one bottom.—From "America's Business Boom," by J. George Frederick, in the American Review of Reviews for January, 1916.

The commissioners ought to have a pretty good idea by this time that the people do not want the Children's Home property cut up into lots, but they would approve any arrangement by which the land comes into control of the city for park or other purposes, while a suitable home is built for the children in the country. We have gone over the expressions of opinion carefully and the great majority seem to feel as indicated above.

That idea of compelling express companies to make deliveries within the entire corporate limits of the city should not be allowed to lapse. This is a matter of convenience and simple justice to those living outside the arbitrary zones established by the express companies, and the proper authorities should take action. The same holds good in regard to the delivery of telegrams.

The general revenue fund of the Ohio state treasury is just a bit lower at the beginning of 1916 than it was a year ago when Governor James M. Cox retired from office, notwithstanding the gloomy predictions made a year and more ago by politicians and candidates ignorant of conditions. The general cash balance of the state today as shown by the figures given out by State Treasurer Archer is \$9,204,827.90. In addition to this there is a balance in the state insurance fund for workmen's compensation of \$2,933,570.99.

Some one perpetrated this on New Year's: "Don't you know this is Bryan's Day?" "How's that?" "Why it's '16-1'."

THE POPULAR MALADY



THEIR DEADLY TOLL

In 1914, the last year on which there are complete reports, near three thousand persons were killed by automobiles. Not all these were directly slain by automobiles, but their death was inseparably linked therewith.

And this is the frightful toll the nation pays for its reckless addiction to speed and its spirit of utter carelessness. Many of the accidents were from mishaps, growing out of furious driving, an equal number, perhaps, the result of foolhardiness in crossing railway tracks. There were comparatively few that could not have been avoided by prudence and reasonable caution.

But bloody as the record is there is some encouraging thought in the fact, that the increase of accidents has not kept pace with the growing use of the automobile. In fact, the ratio shows a distinct gain for the better. In 1909 there were approximately 650 deaths through the automobile, in a certain territory, comprising the greater part of the country, and 270,000 automobiles in use; in same territory in 1914 there were 2,600 deaths, or a 400 percent increase; but the number of automobiles had mounted up to 1,700,000, or more than an 800 percent gain. Thus the death increase was only half that of the percentage of automobile gain. If we consider that the car is more frequently used now than it was several years back, that is tens of thousands of cars are now run every day of the year, while the first practice was to store them for the winter, it will be seen that the chances of fatality through them have lessened still more.

This happy result has not been achieved through regulation, as there is precious little of that effective anywhere, but comes because the fever of speed burn of their early advent is dying down. And it is no longer good form to search—it looks like you were new to a car, or were on a drunken joy ride. Five years from now when there will be near over three million cars in operation the number of deaths from them will be decreased both in percentage and numbers.

After all is said, it's hard to understand how a man who realizes that he is so peculiarly gifted as a hunter, faunal naturalist and explorer is willing to employ his time in presidential rainbow chasing.—Marion Star.

Bradstreets report for 1915 shows there were 19,033 failures in this country, which was 13.4 larger than 1914. Liabilities in 1915 were \$283,492,609, which was a decrease of 20.7 per cent over 1914 and of 26 per cent as compared with 1908 and 1893. Failures were heaviest in the early months of the year and continued to show up alarmingly large until September from which month there was a large decline in volume and in the amount of liabilities.

NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

O.O. MCINTYRE.

New York, Jan. 6.—Winnie made a regular fool. Sheehan, who was one of Chicago's star men on the evening world, was instructed to do a thing now what a stepping stone a journalistic career really is. He stepped from the world in the private secretaryship to Police Commissioner Wadsworth.

Now he has been made general manager of the William Fox enterprises which is doing some spectacular stunts in the cinema world. Sheehan grouped about him in his new work newspaper men only. There is not a man in the organization who has not taken the abuse of some city editor.

That is all but Fox himself but as he has been buying pages of newspaper space all over the country he might with a push be considered in the journalistic line. "The trouble with services," says Mr. Sheehan, "is that they have no faith in their business ability. As a matter of fact they are such keen judges of men that in the business world is where they really shine."

Perry Hammond, dramatic critic of the Chicago Tribune, was in town this week to "Stop, Look and Listen," with Charles, the well known Dillingham. While here he also met Mary Pickford, the movie actress.

He called up the Chicago bureau of the Tribune on Park Row. "A thousand words for the Tribune," he said.

"All right," said the operator, "when will you file your stuff?" "Here it is," was the reply. "Just say: 'I have met Mary Pickford' and repeat it one hundred and ninety times."

A great problem is confronting New Yorkers who frequent restaurants, that is to say, New Yorkers. The restauranters must figure out some high-falootin' word for horse meat, which the Board of Health has suddenly

entitled "Friendliness," in Monday night's paper? A READER.

No Such Animal
"What do you think of a man who deceives his wife?"
"I think he's a wonder."

For Chewing Purposes, Evidently
Wanted—Large, clean white rags, brought to this office—Knoxville, Tenn., Journal and Tribune.

Subtle
She sat on the steps at eventide, Enjoying the balmy air, He came and asked, "May I sit by your side?" And she gave him a vacant stare. —Widow.

Wanted Bath Without Room
A worn, dusty and bedraggled man marched courageously across the lobby to the desk of one of the exceedingly luxurious hostleries, here today. "What are your prices?" he inquired. "Room without a bath, \$3.50; with bath, \$4," the clerk rattled off glibly. The dusty and bedraggled one pondered. "Well, please give me," he remarked finally, "a bath without a room. And kindly see that a nice eiderdown pillow is placed in the tub. Also be especially sure that—" at this the clerk looked up. And the house detective closed the incident.—N. Y. Letter in Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Tool Chest Courtesie
"It is 'plane' that I love you," he began. "Is that on the 'level'?" she asked. "Haven't I always been on the 'square' with you?" "But you have many 'vises,'" she remonstrated. "Not a 'bit' of it," he asserted. "What made you 'brace' up?" she queried, coquettishly. "The fact that I 'saw' you," he replied with a bow. "I ought to 'hammer' you for that," she answered saucily. "Come and sit by me on the 'bench,'" he urged. "Suppose the other should 'file' in?" she murmured. "You shouldn't let your arms 'compass' me." "I know a preacher who is a good 'joiner,'" he suggested, and they rushed out.—Building Age.

Speaking of Ads
Ad in a New York paper: "Wanted—Book keeper and salesman. Must have one leg shorter than the other." "We were about to telephone this opportunity to a friend, when we suddenly remembered that what he had was one leg longer than the other.—Boston Transcript.

Her Suburbs Were Short
Ripples of laughter swept through a local school room this week when one of the pupils read a sentence that contained an unusual word in it. The teacher had been giving the pupils a word to incorporate in a sentence each day and on this particular occasion he used the word suburb. One of the pupils to whom the word had been given learned that suburb meant outskirts, so she proceeded buoyantly to include in it what she of course thought was a perfectly composed sentence. Her sentence follows: "My suburbs are shorter than my petticoat."

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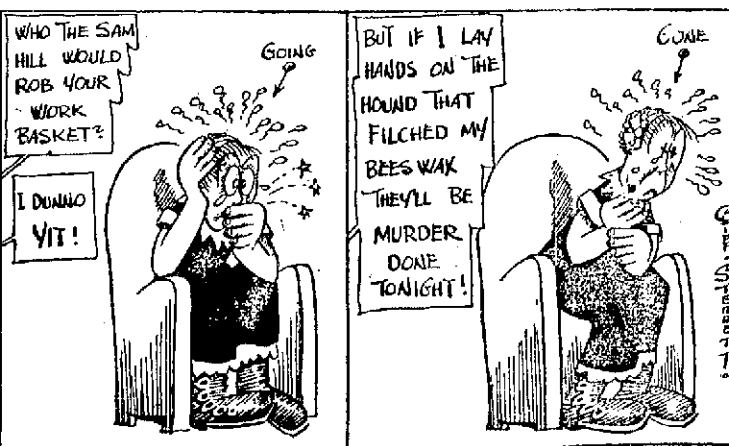
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SWEARING OFF IS SUCH A PLEASURE---NOT



FEAR THAT BOY WAS DROWNED IN BACK WATER

Raft On Which He Had Been Riding Found; Searchers Dragging Stream

(BULLETIN)

Mayor Kaps this morning stated he would secure Nate Williams, the diver, to make an effort to locate the boy. He will also have dynamite exploded near where the raft is supposed to have been drowned.

Disregarding warnings, Josh Montgomery, aged 15 years, is believed to have been drowned in the backwaters of Lawson's Run, Wednesday.

The boy was last seen alive shortly before eleven o'clock Wednesday morning when Chas. Pemberton saw him steering a raft down the swollen creek. He failed to return home for dinner and towards evening a search was instituted for him.

The improvised raft the boy had constructed the day before and his paddle were found hanging the bank near the big hole caused by excavating for the new Lawson Run viaduct, directly at the head of New Sixth street. This discovery increased the fears that the boy had probably fallen from the raft and drowned, and William Whisman, a contractor and cement worker at whose home, 2202 Sixth street, the boy had been staying, and Mr. Pemberton headed a party that began dragging the stream in search for the body.

They continued their efforts until a late hour Wednesday night and at one time thought they had caught what seemed to them was the boy's body. The search was resumed Thursday morning and the police were also called upon to give their assistance.

The boy had been talking of building a raft ever since the high

water but Mr. and Mrs. Whisman forbade him doing so. Unnoticed he slipped away from home Tuesday evening and going to the home of a next-door neighbor, Mrs. Harry Johnson, borrowed a hatchet, after finding that the Whismans had purposely concealed their hatchet to prevent him from using it. Securing a few logs Wednesday morning he soon had a frail little raft constructed and started out on what perhaps was an ill fated pleasure ride.

The boy had been a member of the Whisman household since last October. He came there barefooted and hungry and begged for something to eat. He said he was homeless, his father having abandoned him and the whereabouts of the mother who had separated from her husband four years ago were unknown to him. The Whismans took pity on him and gave him a home, he paying for his board by looking after their stock and doing odd jobs about the place. He had told them that his father had never schooled him to any extent and for that reason he preferred to work. He was a likeable chap and the family soon began regarding him as one of their own.

The missing boy is a son of Josh Montgomery, a mill man, who makes his home with a sister-in-law, Mrs. Alice Fife, of Lakeside. There are two other children. The one next to Josh stays with his father, while the youngest, who is about four years old, is at the home of an uncle, Thomas Montgomery, of the West Side.

Mrs. Whisman said word of the boy's disappearance was gotten to the father, Wednesday night, but he had not yet put in an appearance up to nine o'clock Thursday morning.

FIND PART OF LOOT TAKEN FROM DEPOTS

Unable to get away with all the plunder they secured after robbing C. & O. depots in Siloam and Limeville, Ky., the unknown thieves were compelled to abandon a sack containing 100 pounds of fresh pork. It was found by a C. & O. workman in a pile of ties near the Siloam depot Thursday morning. It is presumed that the thieves were not able to get on a train and had to abandon some of the heavier articles they stole from the depots.

BUSINESS MEN INVITED TO BIG BANQUET TONIGHT

All members of the Business Men's Association are cordially urged to attend the smoker that will be given in the Masonic Temple building this (Thursday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock. Members will meet in the offices of the Association on the third floor of the building at 7:30 o'clock, and from there repair to the rooms on the second floor, formerly occupied by the Kentucky Fire Brick Company, where the smoker will be held.

OHIO IS RISING SLOWLY; SCIOTO BEGINS TO FALL

Rains above were heavier than here, the local downfall not amounting to much and the Ohio river came up only two-tenths of a foot Wednesday night. The gauge Thursday morning showed 44.7 ft and slowly rising. The Scioto river rise is over, that stream having commenced falling Wednesday night. Friday's packet departures: Green-

Moving Military Stores Out Or Reach Of Revolutionaries

Peking, Dec. 28.—(Correspondence of the A. P.)—President Yuan Shi Kai is moving all military stores as rapidly as possible away from centers subject to attack by the revolutionaries. Even before the recent attempt to capture the Kiangnan arsenal at Shung Hai, much of the machinery from that arsenal had been moved to the HanYang arsenal at Hankow. Military stores at Shung Hai had also been sent to Tchow, which is located in the interior on the railway connecting Shung Hai, and Peking, and about midway between the two points. Practically all the troops now located along the Yangtze valley and in South China are northern men. For months there has been a constant movement of soldiers, arms and munitions directed with a view to replacing any troops in important strategic centers whose loyalty to the president was not beyond doubt.

When the trouble broke out in Shanghai it was feared that similar outbreaks might occur at Nanking or at Wu Ching. These two points on the Yangtze river have been footholds in former days and are located in such a manner as to control a great territory. Nanking is 200 miles from Shanghai and at the mouth of the Yangtze river. Consequently an army there can absolutely control river traffic into the heart of Central China. Furthermore, Nanking is located on the only railway line connecting Shanghai with North China. By taking Nanking the revolutionaries in former Hankow, which really form one days out of all communications between Peking and South China, except such as was afforded by ships sailing from Tientsin for Shanghai and South China points. Bankow is even more important a strategic point because it is the site of the only modern steel works in China and has the largest arsenal. At present the government has twenty thousand picked troops at Nanking, and cabinet members are confident there is no chance for enemies of the administration to produce dissatisfaction there. About the same number of troops is located at Hankow and at Wu Chang and at HanYang, the two cities adjoining Hankow, which really form one great settlement.

NOT AFTER POLICE JOB

Editor Times: Certain persons have circulated the report that I have been applicant for a position on the police force of this city and that I intended to give up my present occupation. In order to correct this mistaken impression which some of my friends have been led to believe, I would like to announce through the columns of your valuable paper, that I am not an applicant for a position on the police force, but that I will continue to devote my sole time to the duties of merchant policeman, as I am now doing.

Thanking you in advance for your valuable space, I am,

Respectfully yours,

CHAS. A. HANS.

Over 3,600 Names In Christmas Club

That prosperity is here with a capital P is shown by the fact that the 1916 membership class of the First National Bank's Christmas Savings Club, now exceeds that of 1915, which was one of the most successful conducted by any bank in this section of the state, up to Wednesday evening the class numbered more than 3600, and it is confidently expected the mark of 5000 will be reached, for during the past few days the class has been increasing at the rate of 250 every twenty-four hours.

According to Cashier Dan W. Conroy, the one most notable feature is the fact that the members are on the whole taking out larger sums than last year. Last year the bank paid out over \$60,000, and it would occasion no surprise this year should the sum exceed \$100,000. The club will remain open until January 8.

Another Denial. At a dinner of the Gridiron club in 1915 Thomas P. Logan of the Philadelphia Inquirer was initiated as a member, and part of his hazing was to ask about a young reporter and in review the guests. Then he was questioned concerning the results. "Did you interview the secretary of war?" he was asked. "Yes."

"What did he say?" "He denies it."

"Why, what I asked him, and he said I didn't make any difference what it was the immortal custom of the war department to deny everything."—Arthur W. Dunn's "Gridiron Nights."

CITY COUNCIL ORGANIZES; BEARS MAYOR'S ADDRESS, IMPROVEMENTS ADVOCATED

Presenting an entire new personnel, Portsmouth's city council convened Wednesday evening and effected an organization for its coming two years work. No legislative business of any kind was attempted at the opening session, members confining their maiden efforts to organization and familiarizing themselves with the procedure of council. Under the experienced coaching of the veteran Charles Wilson, councilman-at-large, who is the only member having had any previous council experience, the meeting moved along smoothly. The roster of council is:

John W. Flood, president. E. P. Rickey, William M. Cramer and Charles W. Wilson, councilmen-at-large. F. E. Roush, first ward. Sherrard M. Johnson, second ward. Harold Rice, third ward. George W. Vandervort, fourth ward.

In addition to Mayor Kaps, his two associates on the board of control were present, Messrs. E. K. S. Clinkenbeard, safety director and Ralph Calvert, service director. Other minor appointments were also present. Attorney Anselm Skelton, the new city solicitor, who succeeded Stanley McCall, administered the oath of office to the new members.

At the appointed hour council proceeded without interruption or delay. John W. Flood, a well known East End druggist, elected vice mayor and president of council, occupied the chair. Charles Wilson was elected president pro tem and Louis A. Zucker, new city auditor, succeeded George L. Gableman, who so efficiently looked after the affairs of the clerkship duties during his tenure of office. Mr. Gableman attended the meeting and assisted the new clerk in his duties.

Appointment of the various committees and attention to the inaugural address of Mayor H. H. Kaps were the only other two transactions of the new council. Committees presented by Mr. Wilson, following careful consideration, as he said, by a caucus of the council members were accepted as follows:

Finance—Messrs. Johnson, Vandervort and Wilson. Law and Claims—Messrs. Roush, Rickey and Wilson. Police, Fire and Markets—Messrs. Cramer, Wilson and Rice. Streets—Messrs. Rickey, Vandervort and Cramer. Light and Water—Messrs. Vandervort, Roush and Rice.

Railroads, Telegraph, Etc.—Messrs. Johnson, Cramer and Roush.

Mayor Kaps' inaugural address to city council was brief and to the point. His recommendations consisted of endorsement of the extension of the flood wall, a recommendation for a sanitary sewer system for the hilltop, repairing of the reservoir, complete modernization of the fire department, improvement of facilities at the hospital, consisting of the addition of a third floor, a new elevator, a new sterilizing instrument and the addition of more private wards. Mr. Kaps also recommended the purchase by the city of property at the northwest corner of the new Scioto river bridge approach to be used in converting it into a more suitable approach.

The mayor also laid emphasis on the paving of alleys as a sanitary measure and also the improvement and extension of streets. Recommendation of extension of the city limits, the erection of a city workhouse and a plea for the co-operation of civic bodies and citizens in promoting the interests of the city were also contained in the mayor's message.

The message was accepted and filed and referred to the finance committee for distribution of the various recommendations to the respective responsible committees.

Before council adjourned Mr. Wilson invited Ex-Mayor Fred N. Tynes to address council. Mr. Tynes, however, stated that he was present merely as an interested spectator and not to deliver an address or make any suggestions. He stated that he was interested in the organization of the new city council, saying that the mayor had given the councilmen in his message a number of valuable recommendations and that if council accomplished only one half of the business the mayor called attention to it would be a commendable step toward a bigger and better city.

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EAGLES WILL INSTALL

Installation of the newly-elected officers will mark the regular weekly meeting of River City Aeris, Fraternal Order of Eagles, this evening. New officials, headed by Walter Schuyler, Worthy President, will succeed the present officials. W. O. Staiger is the retiring Worthy President, and his administration has been marked by much success. A social session will follow this meeting.

SALESMAN WAS AWAY, FIRE DESTROYS HOME

Fire in the home of John Jefferson, a two story frame structure located at Eighth and Brown streets, which was discovered at 7:35 Wednesday evening resulted in the Gallia street and Hilltop companies responding. It was incidentally the first call answered by the new fire chief George Koerner.

When the firemen reached the Jefferson home they found it in flames and it was practically destroyed. Very little of Mr. Jefferson's household effects were saved. It is believed the fire originated from a gas stove. Mr. Jefferson, who is a coal salesman,

LOUIS HARCOURT, NEW VICEROY OF INDIA, HAS AMERICAN WIFE



Mr. and Mrs. Louis V. Harcourt.

OBITUARY

Wm. H. Triplett

William H. Triplett, aged 56 years, a prominent merchant of Garrison, Ky., died at his home in that village Wednesday night about 10 o'clock after a six months' illness with liver and stomach trouble.

Mr. Triplett was a native of Ashland, Ky., but had been located at Garrison for the past fifteen years, conducting a general store there. He leaves a wife, Mrs. Emma Hannah Triplett, one daughter, Mrs. Emma Catherine Anderson, wife of Carl Anderson, and three sons, Raymond H., Charles B. and Leo R. Triplett, all at home.

Mr. Triplett was affiliated with the Christian church and was a member of the Ashland Lodge of Odd Fellows. The funeral will take place Saturday with burial in the graveyard at Gray's Branch, Ky.

PREPAREDNESS CONSIDERED BY COMMITTEES

Washington, Jan. 6.—The question of national preparedness again today occupied the center of the stage in congressional committee activity.

Hearing on the administration's national defense program was begun today before the house military affairs committee with Secretary of War Garrison as the star witness and the house naval affairs committee continued its hearings on the annual naval appropriation bill.

Rear Admiral Stanford, chief of the navy's bureau of yards and docks, resumed his statement as to the needs of additional naval stations when the naval committee again took up the yards and docks section of the naval bill.

Mississippi Steamboating. The steambest age on the Mississippi began about 1821 and flourished for fifty years. As early as 1834 the number of steamboats on the Mississippi and its tributaries is estimated at 220, and in 1842 there were 450 vessels, with a value of \$25,000,000. But the golden era was from 1848 till the war. Never did the valley and steamboating prosper more than then. Thousands of bales of cotton were annually shipped to southern markets, and the wharves of St. Louis and Memphis and Vicksburg and other large ports were stacked with piles of merchandise and lined with scores of steamers.—Travel Magazine.

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